

Allies, in Virtual Ultimatum, Warn Hungary Against Restoration of Hapsburg Dynasty

WOULD PROVE DISASTROUS

Will Not Be Tolerated as it Would Imperil Foundation of Peace

Plan Blockade of Hungary—Former Ruler Wants to Issue Proclamation

STEINAMANGER, Western Hungary, April 1.—(By the Associated Press)—Former Emperor Charles declared here today that his departure from Hungary would be conditioned upon permission to issue a proclamation to the Magyars explaining the "unfavorable circumstances" compelling his withdrawal.

VICTROLA RECORDS FOR APRIL OUT TODAY



Victrola Salon
CHALIFOUX'S

TODAY INTEREST BEGINS IN SAVINGS DEPARTMENT

This bank is a member of the Federal Reserve System, and is almost 100 years old.

Old Lowell
National Bank
88 Prescott St.

Dancing Tonight
PRIMROSE BANJO ORCH.
Grange Hall, Dracut
Admission.....35¢, Tax Paid

Seven Passengers and Three of Crew of Ship Sunk in Collision Are Missing

SEATTLE, Wash., April 1.—Seven passengers and three members of the crew of the passenger steamship Governor, sunk off Point Wilson in collision with the freighter West Hartland, are missing, according to a wireless message from the West Hartland, which is bringing the survivors to Seattle.

DARING COUP BY SINN FEINERS

Rescued Prisoner Despite Fact That Fully Armed Guard Was On Duty

Sinn Feiners Took all the Rifles and Ammunition of the Guards

BELFAST, April 1.—(By the Associated Press)—The mystery of the two blood-stained motor cars found by a police patrol Wednesday night at Rockery, near Ballybay, County Monaghan, was explained today when it was discovered the vehicles played a part in the most sensational coup thus far engineered by Sinn Feiners in south Ulster.

Last evening a Sinn Fein prisoner, Matthew Fitzpatrick, who was under treatment in the Monaghan infirmary, was removed by friends despite the fact that a fully armed military guard had been placed in the infirmary to prevent his escape. His friends took all the rifles and ammunition of the guards. One of the Sinn Feiners was wounded, which accounted for the blood on the cars.

NEW YORK CLEARINGS
NEW YORK, April 1.—Exchanges \$503,995,076; balances \$60,572,159.

Own a Dorr, you'll like it!

— Visit —
APOSTOLOS' CANDY SHOP

Which is open for business now at 455 Middlesex St., opposite the railroad station, with a full line of Home Made Candies, Pastry and Fancy Boxes of Chocolates and Ice Cream.

Hot Coffee served at all hours. Everything is made by
APOSTOLOS' CANDY SHOP
Watch for Saturday Specials

Interest Begins April 2nd



ELECTRICIAN EXAMINATION
APRIL 16, 1921

Men who are to take the examination for Journeymen or Master Electrician will find it to their advantage to take a preliminary test given in two lessons by a practical instructor of 16 years' experience. Arrange to see me Saturday, April 2, 1:30 p. m., at Associate Building, Room 24, 4th floor. Ask for Mr. Kenzie.

TO HELP NEEDY IN IRELAND

Local Organizations Plan to Launch Campaign to Raise \$45,000

Irish, Jewish, French and Greek Representatives Meet in Elks' Hall

In an effort to perfect preliminary plans for the launching in this city of a campaign to raise \$45,000 for the relief of the needy in Ireland, representatives from Irish, Jewish, French and Greek social and fraternal organizations met last evening in Elks' hall, Middle street, and heard Major Edward Sampson of the governor's council, field director of the drive, tell of the need for funds in Ireland and what steps Lowell might take to assist.

It was pointed out that the campaign will be conducted upon purely non-sectarian, non-partisan lines. The object is wholly one of mercy for the women and children of Ireland who are suffering and the funds will be used directly through the American commission on Irish relief. Homes and industries which have been destroyed by warfare will be rebuilt. It was explained. Major Sampson was introduced by

LOWELL CHARTER BILL IN HOUSE

(Special to The Sun)
BOSTON, April 1.—The Lowell charter bill passed its third reading in the house of representatives today without debate. The bill has already been passed to be engrossed by the senate.

HOYT.

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TAXPAYERS' NOTICE

All persons, firms and corporations, subject to taxation in the City of Lowell, are hereby notified and required to bring in to the assessors of said city, on or before 6 o'clock p. m. Monday, May 16, 1921, true lists of polls, personal and real estate, not exempt from taxation, of which they were possessed on the first day of April of the current year.

Blanks furnished on application. Every male inhabitant of the city, above the age of twenty years, whether a citizen of the United States or an alien, shall be assessed a poll tax of five dollars (\$5.00) for the years 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923, as per Chapter 253, section 10, Acts of 1910, with exemptions allowed as per statute.

As per amendment to Chapter 51, General Laws, all women twenty years of age and over, are required to be listed in the year 1921 and thereafter, in the same manner and with the same details of information as is required in listing males, but there is no provision for assessing a poll tax to women.

JEREMIAH J. O'SULLIVAN,
ALBERT J. BLAZON,
DANIEL E. HOGAN,
Assessors of Lowell.

CANDY

Special for Saturday—
NELSON'S Best Mixture of Chocolates, Caramels and Bon Bons, with fruit and nut centers.

80c Lb.

THREE STORES
68 Merrimack St.
109 Central St.
339 Middlesex St.

LOWELL HAS ANNIVERSARY

Today Marks 85th Anniversary of Incorporation of the City

"Lowell Day" Exercises in Local Schools—No Essay Contest This Year

Today was the 85th anniversary of the incorporation of the city of Lowell and the event was observed in the local schools with appropriate exercises. It was just 85 years ago today that the act incorporating Lowell as a municipality was signed by the governor and for the past few years April 1 has been officially set aside as "Lowell day."

Today's exercises were a little less pretentious than in previous years. The absence of the chamber of commerce essay competition this year eliminated one feature, the awarding of medals to the essay contest winners in each school. However, the programs as carried out in the various schools were

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EXERCISES AT KEITH'S

High School Students Observe Lowell Day With Excellent Program

Lowell day was appropriately observed by students of the Lowell high school at Keith's theatre this morning with Mayor Perry D. Thompson delivering an entertaining and instructive address on the significance of the occasion and present day educational opportunities for Lowell young men and women.

Headmaster Henry H. Harris was in

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PAUL KITTREDGE COUNCIL.
Paul Kittredge Council, A. A. R. J. R., will have a speaker from Boston at its meeting tonight in V.M.C.I. hall, to boost the relief campaign now under way. Dr. Donahue will preside.

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THE LOWELL FIVE CENT SAVINGS BANK

INTEREST BEGINS SATURDAY APRIL 2, 1921

THE LOWELL FIVE CENT SAVINGS BANK

Interest Begins Tomorrow, at The Central Savings Bank.



KASINO SATURDAY NIGHT

You Are Bound to Have a Good Time With
Eddie Schell and His Boston Jazz Band

STANDARD PRICE, 30¢—TAX PAID

Follow the Crowd to
LINCOLN HALL TONIGHT

Three Wounded War Veterans
Campbell's Orchestra. Tickets 35¢, including War Tax

Boxing and Wrestling Meet

FRIDAY, APRIL 1st, 8 O'CLOCK
Sacred Heart Club Admission Free

Mrs. Stillman Awarded Alimony of \$7500 a Month, \$35,000 Council Fees and \$12,000 for Expenses

LOCAL LIQUOR REVENUE

Fines Imposed in Police Court Help to Swell City Treasury

The total amount of fines in liquor cases collected here during the quarter of Jan. 1-Mar. 31, was \$3801.65 for the municipality of Lowell. Nearly this entire sum goes into the city coffers as the result of penalties imposed by Judge Enright upon those who have trafficked in the forbidden wet goods. The fines collected since the first of the year, will be turned over today to the city treasurer of Lowell and the surrounding towns. The total accrued moneys reach \$1583.34, with Lowell getting the aforementioned, \$3801.65. Of the remainder, Chelmsford will obtain the highest sum, receiving \$235.65. Dracut comes next on the list, with \$199. The Dracut police department has been active in tracing illicit distilling activities. Tyngsboro will get \$132, while Billerica trails, with \$50. The commonwealth, as the result of prosecutions by various state agents, will benefit to the amount of \$165.

WOMEN NOT LIABLE TO JURY SERVICE

BOSTON, April 1.—The granting of suffrage to women carries with it no liability to jury duty, the supreme court held in an opinion rendered to the legislature today. It added, how-

MARCH BEHIND US APRIL BEFORE US

If ever one has hope and should see White, it is when he finds himself on April 1, "Calli Going." Live through March and you'll live a year, is an old saying and thus far in our young life this saying has always proved true. The glorious Spring is here. Nature now puts forth every effort to produce. So should man. WORK. That's the word. That's the key to all that's worth living for. As for work, SAVE something from your earnings. The Little added to the Little every little while, soon, very soon, makes the Wondrous Pile.

TODAY is the DAY that Interest Begins.

EVERY DAY the DAY to carry the Saving Habit.

EVERY DAY add a Little to the Little.

SOME DAY that Little will read Big.

MIDDLESEX SAFE DEPOSIT

AND TRUST CO.

Merrimack Corner Palmer St.

The Bank That Has No Closing Saturdays.

\$673,779.94

Paid to Depositors in Dividends in 1920

Rate 5%

Deposits Go On Interest Next Week

CITY INSTITUTION FOR SAVINGS

174 CENTRAL STREET

FIRST STREET PROBLEM

City and State to Get Busy Mayor Gets Letter From Cole

Almost coincident with the announcement of Commissioner Deane A. Murphy that he will macadamize a portion of First street proper this season came today a communication to Mayor Thompson from John N. Cole, commissioner of the state department of public works, announcing that his department had approved and completed plans for the relocation of the proposed new First street highway along the river bank and that a copy of the plans would be forwarded at once under separate cover.

Thus, necessary preliminaries for activity on both the old and new roads have been taken care of. Work on the old road will be started in the near future by employees of the street department. The next step in the building of the new road will be the issuance of the plans by City Engineer Kearney, who will consult with engineers from the state department as to the cost of the work.

As soon as an estimate is obtained, Mr. Kearney will report to Commissioner Murphy who, in turn, will tell the municipal council what amount of money will be needed to complete the city's share of the job.

Part of the rough grading of the new roadway has been completed. An agreement entered into by the state, county and city provides that the city shall pay for all the foundation work on the new road up to the sub-grading. The county will donate \$15,000 to assist in this part of the program. When that work is done, the state will step in, finish the job and keep the highway in repair forever. This latter proviso was secured from the state authorities through the efforts of City Engineer Kearney and will relieve the city for all time of the burden of taking care of the road.

over, that the legislature had authority under the constitution to frame a law making women liable to jury service. The court's opinion was asked after a convicted defendant appealed a jury's verdict on the ground that women were excluded from membership on the jury which tried him.

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Three Shot In Boston Gun Battle

BOSTON, April 1.—A fishermen's quarrel at the Eastern Packet Pier today developed into a revolver battle in which three men were shot. The uninjured ones escaped in a power boat after a chase across the harbor by police boats. Those wounded included Leonardi Sutero, whose condition was described as critical, and two others whose wounds were slight. The dispute was said to have had to do with the sale of a cargo of fish.

CITY OF LOWELL

Warning

Assistant Assessors will call at every house to obtain the following information for listing of names in the city, both males and females, 20 years of age and over.

NAME

AGE

OCCUPATION

RESIDENCE APRIL 1st, 1921.....

RESIDENCE APRIL 1st, 1920.....

Was the Man in The United States Army or Navy in the World War?

This information should be left with some one in the house for the Assistant Assessor when he calls.

The listing begins April 1st.

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Assessors of Lowell

TONIGHT—ASSOCIATE HALL

CONCERT and DANCE

Broadway Social and Athletic Association
Miner-Doyle's Orchestra. Tickets (Including War Tax) 50¢

ASSOCIATE HALL — Every Saturday Night

CAMPBELL'S 10 PIECE ORCHESTRA

WITH "ROUNDIE"
Continuous Dancing 8 to 11.30
ADMISSION 35¢, TAX PAID



ROCKEFELLER CHILDREN

The five sons of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., were snapped Easter Sunday as they walked along Fifth Avenue, New York, after attending services at the Fifth Avenue Baptist Church. Accompanying them, a governess.

PRES. HARDING BEGINS R. R. DIAGNOSIS

WASHINGTON, April 1.—President Harding began his diagnosis of the railroad situation today by consultation with the two government agencies that have kept closest watch over the pulse of the nation's transportation system during the after-war period of readjustment.

For more than two hours the president was closeted with Chairman Clark of the interstate commerce commission and Chairman Barton of the railroad labor board, in a conference designed to provide precise data on every angle of the railroad problem. The executive asked not only for information, but for frank opinions of how serious the condition of the carriers really is, and what remedies can be applied with greatest promise of results.

Other conferences at which railroad managers and employees can present directly their recommendations, are expected to follow, but it was said at the White House last night that definite dates for these consultations had not yet been fixed.

Details of the conference between Mr. Harding and the two chairmen were not revealed, but it was indicated that there was no disposition to attempt a decision on any specific subject.

The information laid before the chief executive is understood to have included detailed figures on the recent earnings of the carriers, whose executives have painted a black picture of the prospect unless government relief is given. At the same time the conference had before it the petitions of shippers for lower freight rates, to permit them to compete with foreign goods.

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The Bon Marche
DRY GOODS CO.

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ELEVATORS

Special Purchases On Sale Tomorrow

We are watching the market every minute to find Standard Goods at **Exceptional Prices** for our customers. We have some wonderful bargains for tomorrow.

NEW SUITS

A special purchase of a New York manufacturer's suit stock, all made to order for the better stores, and owing to late delivery were cancelled.

We Selected the Styles We Wanted

and got them at a big reduction. On sale at

\$32.50 \$39.50

Wonderful values. These are the smartest, youthful styles of the season, in all sizes, 16 to 44.

SPORT COATS and WRAPS

Polo Coats, Sport Coats and Wraps, all silk lined, all well tailored, in a big assortment of styles. These are a special purchase we made in New York, and are the most wanted styles. These are exceptional values for Saturday selling.

\$25

Girls' Coats

We were able to secure some Smart All Wood Polo Coats that are the most wanted for girls. In Polo mixtures, trimmed with leather belts and self belts, half lined and full lined, all sizes 6 to 16 years. On sale Saturday morning.

\$9.98, \$12.50, \$14.95

SILK DRESSES - \$25

One hundred wonderful dresses at this price will be on sale Saturday, including Canton Crepe, Crepe de Chine, Taffeta, Georgette, Crepe Meteor and man-tailored Tricolette, in all sizes. These are all dresses of the better quality and worth \$10 to \$15 more.

LOWELL'S LEADING DRESS SHOP

GIRLS' GINGHAM DRESSES

We have some exceptional values in Lotta Wear Dresses in check and plaid ginghams, in a large variety of styles, in all sizes and exceptional smart styles. These are all made as good dresses should be, made with plenty of fullness and perfect fitting. Sizes 6 to 16 years. The best values of the season.

\$1.98, \$2.98, \$3.98

NEW WAISTS

Over one thousand new Spring Waists, hand-made Porto Rico Waists, French Voile Waists, with real fillet lace and lace trills and tailored styles, also real venice trimmed voiles in a large assortment of styles. The largest line of fine Waists in Lowell. We have never shown better Waists at these prices, even in pre-war days.

\$1.98, \$2.98

COULDN'T HIDE STILL AND WOULDN'T KEEP STILL

Enraged when parts of a still, which she had concealed about her person, dropped to the floor from beneath her skirt, the wife of Joseph Smith, of Pelham Centre, N. H., resorted to the bling and scratching of the town, constable, who had been in search of evidence in her effort to retrieve the incriminating apparatus. While

the struggle for possession of the booze-manufacturing gear was proceeding merrily, Mr. Smith was also proceeding merrily. In the direction of freedom, his wife having communicated to him a warning when the raiders put in an appearance. Joseph Wozniak, whose domicile was also visited with fruitful results, was another who made his getaway when the tip was passed to him that the representatives of the law were awaiting him on his own hearthstone. Arthur H. Peabody and Asa A. Carleton, seamen of Pelham, and John D. Jean-such evidence in her effort to retrieve the incriminating apparatus. While

homes. Liquor and mash and parts of a still were revealed at the former place, while a gallon of moonshine was unearthed at the Wozniak residence. The officers of the law, when they entered Smith's abode, were unable to locate Smith, as his wife had spotted the invaders and sounded a warning which caused him to take to his heels. The woman herself was discovered standing with strange fixity in a bedroom. In spite of her antipathy for locomotion, she was compelled to move around a bit, and the rule of her stillness proved the finding of her still. When the "worm" and other unmistakable sections had fallen to the floor, she

DROP IN PRICE OF COAL

Reduction in Wages Accepted Under Protest By Coal Teamsters

The price of coal in this city dropped a dollar a ton this morning and a reduction in wages for the chauffeurs, coal teamsters and yard men, will become effective tomorrow as per announcement in the 7 o'clock edition of last evening's Sun. As an inducement for people to get in their coal early, the coal dealers have also agreed to knock off another half dollar on every ton of coal paid for during the month of April, 35 cents for all fuel paid for in May and 25 cents for coal paid for in June.

Accept Under Protest

The matter of a reduction in wages was discussed at a special meeting of the Coal Teamsters' union, which was held last evening and finally it was decided to accept the reduction, but under protest. Three ballots were taken by the members of the union, but the vote was so close that the matter was finally referred to the grievance committee, which decided to accept the new scale of wages.

The reduction will be as follows: Chauffeurs, 10 cents an hour; double teamsters, 12 cents an hour; single teamsters, 6 1/2 cents, and yard help 10 1/2 cents. The present pay of these employees is as follows: Chauffeurs, 50 cents an hour; double teamsters, 51 cents; single teamsters, 51 1/2 cents; and yard help, 50 1/2 cents. It will be noticed that the pay of the double and single teamsters will be the same under the new schedule.

IN NORTH BILLERICA

The Ladies' auxiliary of the Father Mathew Total Abstinence society of North Billerica presented "The Peak Sisters," a very enjoyable farce, before a large and appreciative audience in Thomas Talbot Memorial hall last evening. The play was given under the personal direction of J. Frank Miller and was produced in a very creditable manner. Those who took part were Mrs. Esther Hanson, Mrs. James McCusker, Mrs. Joseph W. Nolan, Mrs. Charles Coffey, Mrs. George Brundell, Mrs. Alfred Collins, Mrs. George Davis, Mrs. Edward Collins, Mrs. George Hennessy, Mrs. Joseph Garner, Mrs. George Foley and Mrs. William Morris. At the close of the entertainment general dancing was enjoyed till a seasonable hour.

STORE CHANGES HANDS

The D. H. Sullivan & Co., family grocery store at the corner of Westford and Stevens streets has been sold to Joseph B. Donovan, who formerly conducted the Donovan market at the corner of Dummer and Market streets. Mr. Donovan will conduct the Westford street store along the same general lines as his predecessor. Mr. Sullivan will retire after a long business career and for the present will enjoy a rest.

THIS IS A FOWL STORY

FREMONT, O., April 1.—Dan Rooney's sow killed all of her pigs but one. The pig ran under a hen, chasing her chicks away. Now the hen mothers hit and refused to take back her chicks.

The rainiest spot on earth is the Waipou Valley in Hawaii. The precipitation averages one inch a day.

CHANGE IN WIFE IS WONDERFUL, HE SAYS

"The Best I Can Say for Tanlac Is Not Half Good Enough," Declares Webster Citizen

"The improvement I've seen take place in my wife's condition during the past few weeks certainly seems wonderful, and I'm glad to give Tanlac all the credit and praise for restoring her health," was the statement made by Joseph Kozlowski, 52 Schottel Ave., Webster, Mass., recently.

"My wife got in such a nervous, run down condition she could do but very little of her housework. For months she had no appetite at all, and what little she forced down seemed to do her more harm than good. After meals gas would form on her stomach and bloat her all up,

and she complained of pains in her left side and back constantly. Her nerves were so upset that the least little noise would make her jump, and nights she scarcely slept any. She said she felt worn out all the time, and the lightest housework would tire her completely out in almost no time, and many days she suffered awfully with headache.

"One day, she told me she had heard so much about Tanlac that she wanted to try it, so I got her a bottle, with the result that now she is in fine health again. Her appetite is fine, she has gained several pounds in weight, and says she feels stronger and better than for a long time. She sleeps well, too, and never complains of any of her old troubles. I can't say anything too strong for Tanlac."

Tanlac is sold in Lowell by Green's Drug Store, under the personal direction of a special Tanlac representative, by Wright Drug Co., Billerica, Mass., Snow's Pharmacy, Concord, Mass., and by the leading druggist in every town.—Adv.

M. VIVIANI DELIVERS GREETING OF FRANCE

WASHINGTON, April 1.—Rene Viviani, former premier of France, now on a mission of courtesy as envoy extraordinary of the French representative to President Harding, addressed a message of greeting here last night to the American people in his first public statement since arriving in the United States.

"I have accepted the mission with which the government of my country has honored me," Mr. Viviani said, "with a deeper joy, as by entrusting me with the mandate of bringing to President Harding the wishes which friendly France forms for him and for his administration I could have the opportunity, through you, to hail America, all America."

"I came here in other times, tragical and dark which, however, shine for me with all the enthusiasm projected by the past."

"This enthusiasm gave men the comfort which is so necessary to continue the struggle."

"You may imagine the sacred emotion which I felt when returning amongst you. Let me express to you this emotion in my message."

"Never, America, all America, will know the gratitude of my country for her."

"From the Atlantic to the Pacific, from north to south, on this magnificent land where all races and creeds are splendidly and harmoniously mingled, our mind finds anew the generous and the valiant daughters to whom we owe so great a debt."

"Nothing will ever break the ties of heart which unite to your republic France, France who has suffered so much for right, who asks only for justice, and who hopes for the salvation of humanity through a better world."

The statement, which was headed

"message of his excellency, M. Rene Viviani, former premier of France, envoy extraordinary of the French republic to the president of the United States," was regarded as clearing up for the first time officially the precise status under which the French official was received by the American government.

State department officials have stated that the former French premier presented no formal credentials upon his reception by the state department, but was received with the verbal introduction of Ambassador Jusserand as a special envoy of France.

With the return of M. Viviani from the funeral of Cardinal Gibbons in Baltimore yesterday, he attended a dinner last night at the French embassy given by Ambassador Jusserand for the purpose of introducing the French visitor to Vice President Coolidge, chairman of the senate foreign relations committee and other members of congress.

RAMEY FOUND GUILTY

Convicted of Murderous Assault on Mildred Wanamaker

BOSTON, April 1.—Frank S. Ramey of Wakefield was found guilty yesterday afternoon of a murderous assault on Mildred Wanamaker in Wakefield, last October. The verdict was returned after a deliberation which lasted a little over an hour.

It is expected that District Attorney Tufts will move for a sentence for as the present session of the Middlesex criminal court will adjourn this afternoon.

When George Carter, foreman of the jury, announced the verdict a gasp went up from the crowded courtroom. The court officers rapped sharply for order and silence was immediately restored.

Ramey made no visible demonstration. He appeared to be a trifle dazed when he was led out of the criminal dock and hesitated for an instant before he was taken from the room to the East Cambridge jail.

No intimation of the length of Ramey's sentence was made yesterday. The maximum sentence for assault with intent to murder is recognized as 15 to 20 years.

Judge Cox's charge ended at 1 o'clock and after an hour for luncheon the jurors took up the case. The judge defined the two parts of the indictment, assault and intent to murder, and told them that it was assumed that their minds were open when they took their seats, and that they were to reserve a final formation of opinion until they went to the jury room and carefully considered the evidence.

District Attorney Tufts completed his argument shortly before noon. He ridiculed the alibi defense that had been built up for Ramey and denounced the "insinuations and innuendoes" that had been made against the witnesses for the commonwealth.

He said that Ramey was strong enough to handle a pair of horses, and would have no difficulty in dragging Miss Wanamaker through the woods. He said that if she was inspired with hatred and revenge for Ramey and was a perjurer it would have been simple for her to say, "Frank Ramey assaulted me."

SEEK OPERATOR OF FAKE "DIVORCE MILL"

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., April 1.—A state-wide search was inaugurated yesterday for Herbert F. Miller in connection with a fake "divorce mill" he is alleged to have conducted from his Manhattan office. An indictment, charging Miller with forging the names of several supreme court justices to fraudulent divorce decrees, will be sought, Dist. Atty. Davis said, when the Westchester county grand jury meets next week.

Mr. Davis also said he had received "quick divorces on the Miller plan." Most prominent of them, he added, is the wife of a representative from a foreign country to the United States but he declined to make public her name.

Miller not only appeared in behalf of clients in regular courts but "presided" over one of his own in his office, the district attorney asserted. His "court" usually contained two or three women who were ready to give testimony, damaging or otherwise, in undefended cases. Miller is alleged to have received from \$200 to \$300 for each divorce.

After the "trial" the "decrees" were formally presented to the client, usually by the name of a supreme court justice forged thereto. In regular courts Miller "switched" his witnesses so that the presiding justice never heard the same witness twice. Miller also has "annulled" several marriages.

The alleged "divorce mill" operator had not been given a license to practice law in New York, the district attorney said, adding he believed Miller was a ringleader in the divorce swindling scheme, ramifications of which extended throughout the country.

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CONDITION OF STREETS

Commerce Chamber Issues

Statement Regarding Plan for Highway Improvement

The chamber of commerce today issued a statement showing the condition of the streets, as revealed by a survey made under the direction of the chamber while ago, which are included in Commissioner Dennis A. Murphy's plan for highway improvement. The statement gives the following information:

Streets to be paved:—
Chalmers street, from Westford to the southerly line of Grand street, 400 square yards. Chamber of commerce survey—very poor.
Thorndike street, from Congress to Appleton, 8763 square yards. Chamber of commerce survey—very poor.
Appleton street, junction at Chalmers, 210 square yards. Chamber of commerce survey—very poor.
Thorndike street, from Chalmers to Middlesex, 900 square yards. Chamber of commerce survey—very poor.
Moody street, from Spalding to Pawtucket, 2320 square yards. Chamber of commerce survey—poor.
King street, from Middlesex to Jackson (this job is provisional on funds being sufficient funds remaining after the other work is done). Chamber of commerce survey—very poor.
Westford street, bluminous concrete from end of present pavement for a distance of 100 yards. Chamber of commerce survey—poor.
Colburn street, from Lakewood avenue to West Sixth street, 1110 feet in length, 33 feet in width, 4449 square yards. Chamber of commerce survey—poor.
Osgood street, from Westford to Liberty, 555 feet in length, 20 feet in width, 1310 square yards. Chamber of commerce survey—fair.
Stevens street, from Westford to Pine, 702 feet in length, 34 feet in width, 2660 square yards. Chamber of commerce survey—poor.
Wilder street, from a point halfway between Grove and Middlesex streets to Westford, 1053 feet in length, 23 feet in width, 3370 square yards. Chamber of commerce survey—fair.
Eighteenth street, westerly from Beacon, 390 feet in length, 23 feet in width, 933 square yards. Chamber of commerce survey—very poor.
Graham street, bluminous concrete from Moore street to railroad tracks. Chamber of commerce survey—fair.
Streets to be macadamized:—
First street from Simpson to Drac-

out line, 4172 feet in length, 15 feet in width, 5344 sq. yards. Chamber of commerce survey—very poor.
Third street, from Bridge to Fremont, 1555 feet in length, 35 feet in width, 6232 sq. yards. Chamber of commerce survey—greater part poor, small part fair.
Mt. Vernon street, from Broadway to Cross street, 220 feet in length, 36 feet in width, 850 sq. yards. Chamber of commerce survey—fair.
School street, from Broadway to Varney, 635 feet in length, 33 feet in width, 2320 sq. yards. Chamber of commerce survey—very poor.
Ludlow street, from Middlesex to Allen avenue, 1065 feet in length, 25 feet in width, 3395 sq. yards. Chamber of commerce survey—poor.

Monthly Service Letter

The monthly service letter of the chamber is ready for mailing. It reads in part as follows:

"Mr. Harold L. Chaffoux, president of your chamber of commerce urges you to remember that the prosperity of Lowell rests with each and every individual in the city. Not until we acknowledge our responsibilities as citizens will Lowell do its best. Civic responsibilities should be acknowledged alike by manufacturer, merchant and workman and our citizenship should not only serve us but we should be ready to serve it when called upon. We should know our shortcomings as a city and correct them, not talk about them. Lowell is going to be just the city we make it, either a large one by our acquiring a broad liberal point of view or a small one by our remaining narrow and with no breadth of vision.

"The coming month will be one of many problems, among the most important of which will be actively towards the improvement of streets; major vehicle problems with reference to traffic regulation and parking rules. These matters deserve the attention of every member. Suggestions as to methods of work, or criticisms are welcomed by the officers of the chamber. The greater the number who interest themselves in this work, the better will be the results.

"The first noon-day membership luncheon will be held at the New American restaurant, Wednesday noon, April 6, from 12:15 to 1:30 o'clock. H. I. Harriman, commissioner of foreign and domestic commerce and former president of the Boston chamber of commerce, will give an interesting talk on the St. Lawrence waterway project.

From April 4 to 14, a Safety First campaign will be staged in Lowell. Figures gathered by the chamber on local cost of clothing and food, showing a considerable reduction from peak prices, are substantiated by the Wall Street Journal, which says: "Business is slowly muddling through the painful process of deflation. There was a reduction in wholesale prices in February of 5 1/2 per cent. The average decline of 157 commodities represented

about 38 1/2 per cent. since last May, when prices reached the highest average."

"One of the important matters for the next directors' meeting is the consideration of the report on the condition of streets already submitted to the city council. Decision as to definite action will be made."

Information About Lowell

The chamber has received a letter from the University of Omaha asking for information regarding business and industrial conditions in Lowell to be used in connection with a debate on the suspension of immigration. Assistant Secretary Edward W. Gallagher has forwarded an extended reply to the request.

STREET RAILWAY HOME RULE COMMITTEE

When the street railway home rule committee met at city hall late yesterday afternoon to decide what reduction of fare they should recommend for the Lowell district to the railway trustees, it was found that just 50 per cent of the membership was on hand. Chairman Sullivan, Secretary Curtin, Rev. Mr. Matthews and Mr. Durfee were present to answer the roll, while Messrs. Carney, Hobson, Molloy and Wells were absent.

Rather than take action on such an important matter with so small a percentage of the committee present, it was voted to call a special conference next Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock and to make an effort to have the entire membership of the committee on hand together with Mayor Perry D. Thompson.

Secretary Curtin read a letter from the trustees agreeing to hold a conference in Boston with the local committee relative to the amount of fare reduction to go into effect here May 2 coincident with a reduction of 20 per cent in the wages of employees of the company. The trustees asked the committee to name a date for the conference.

After some discussion it was voted to instruct Secretary Curtin to notify the trustees that the committee will confer with them in Boston Tuesday afternoon. At Monday afternoon's conference the committee will decide just what rate of fare for the Lowell district it will recommend to the trustees.

Manager Thomas Lees was unable to attend yesterday's meeting owing to an important engagement in Boston. He sent a letter of regret. Supt. Vard B. Leavitt was present.

DIED OF WOUNDS

"Uncrowned King of Berlin Proletariat" Dead

BERLIN, April 1.—Wilhelm Hyll, known as "the uncrowned king of the Berlin proletariat," died today as a result of a bullet wound received yesterday when he struck a policeman who was planning a general strike.

The electrical workers attempted to call a strike as soon as news of his death became known, but the strike was voted down by an overwhelming majority. It was formerly a Berlin city official and was extremely radical.

FIRST FRIDAY OBSERVANCE

Today was observed as the first Friday of the month in all the local Catholic churches. Large numbers of the faithful received communion this morning and in many of the churches holy hour services will be held this evening.

Every home should have a copy of the People's Atlas and 1920 United States Census. On sale at The Sun office, only 50 cents with one Sun coupon.

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drawal and saying that he, as king, temporarily confirmed the regency of Admiral Horthy.

He made this declaration upon receiving a refusal from Admiral Horthy, the regent, that he be allowed to return to Budapest, coupled with a threat of military measures against him.

Allied Ultimatum

PARIS, April 1.—(By the Associated Press)—Warning was given Hungary today by the allies that the restoration of the Hapsburg dynasty would entail disastrous consequences for the Hungarian nation.

This warning, issued through the council of ambassadors, constituted a virtual ultimatum from the chief allied powers, including England, France, Italy and their lesser associates. It was given additional point by the fact that it was communicated officially to the allied states by which Hungary is surrounded—Czechoslovakia, Jugoslavia, Rumania and Poland, at least the first three of which, comprising the "little entente" have declared themselves ready to take military action against the Hapsburg restoration.

Text of Resolution

PARIS, April 1.—(By the Associated Press)—Resolutions protesting against the restoration of former Emperor Charles in Hungary, and warning the Hungarian government that the consequences of such an event would be disastrous, were adopted by the council of ambassadors here today. The resolutions were presented by Charles Tomasevich, acting in the name of the French government.

Two authentic facts appear to stand out of the mass of sensational rumors relative to Charles' efforts to reinstate himself as head of the Hungarian government. The first is that he is still in Hungary, and the second is that the "little entente" comprising Czechoslovakia, Jugoslavia and Poland, and even the "big entente" are ready to strike, if he succeeds in his enterprise.

Premier Briand's newspaper, the *Reclair*, understands the entente governments are considering the steps they will take in the event that the Hungarian situation is not rapidly cleared up. Among these measures it is declared is the blockade of Hungary, being considered.

Ivan Pravyosky, Hungarian minister to France, points out in a statement printed in the *Figaro* that communications between Paris and Budapest are interrupted and that all news reaching this city must come by the way of Vienna, and therefore should be subjected to careful scrutiny.

The minister declares his disbelief of reports that Charles has been successful in his attempt, and says the delay in his departure from Hungary may be attributable to the necessity of obtaining the consent of the Austrian and Jugoslav governments to his passage across their territories. He adds that if General Lohar had gone over to the side of Charles, he would most certainly have been advised. While it is possible that a few adventurers are gathered around the former emperor and that some battalions of troops may be ready to support him, the minister says he does not believe the army has declared for Charles, as Vienna despatches have stated.

"Hungary," the minister concludes, "has had enough coups d'etat. While the people would perhaps like a monarchy, they want to have it established through regular constitutional channels. The situation in Hungary is improving, exchange rates are rising, and, consequently, public opinion is hostile to any kind of changes."

The French charge d'affaires in Budapest telegraphed to the foreign office here today that he was unable to confirm the various press reports of Hungarian troop movements, adding that absolute calm prevailed in the Hungarian capital.

Count Teleky said the charge's messenger was at present in conference with ex-emperor Charles, for whom a safe conduct had been demanded of the Austrian government.

The resolutions adopted by the council of ambassadors reads: "The events of which Hungary is the theatre place the principal allied powers under obligation to react to the government and the people of Hungary the terms of their declaration of Feb. 4, 1920. (In this declaration the council of ambassadors declared that restoration of the Hapsburg dynasty would not be consistent with the principles for which the war had been fought, but at variance with the whole body of the peace settlements, and that such restoration would be neither recognized nor tolerated.)

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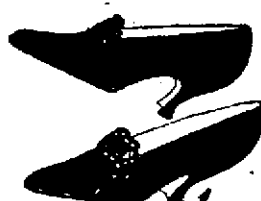
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ed in that declaration, the allies have the duty to repeat that the restoration of the Hapsburgs would imperil the very foundation of the peace and that it could be neither recognized nor tolerated.

"The allied powers count upon the gravity of the situation that would be created by the return to the throne of the former sovereign, to take efficacious measures to suppress the attempts whose success, even momentary, could not but have disastrous consequences for Hungary.

"This declaration will be telegraphed to the allied high commissioner in Budapest and communicated officially to the Hungarian delegation in Paris and the representatives of the bordering states of Czechoslovakia, Jugoslavia, Rumania and Poland."

"The foreign office has failed to receive any confirmation of the reports that Charles is heading an army marching upon Budapest. Its latest despatches declare that calm prevails at Steinhilber, where the ex-emperor now is, except among a certain portion of the troops.

Charles, the advices state, is to be taken some distance from the camp to the castle of Prince Bathanyai at Kormend, to the south of Steinhilber, with Count Teleky accompanying him.

To Leave Country

VIENNA, April 1. (By the Associated

Press).—Official information has been received in this city that former Emperor Charles, who attempted, on Sunday to bring about a coup d'etat in Hungary, will leave that country.

The Hungarian minister in Vienna called on Chancellor Mayr last evening and asked if, in principle, the Austrian government would permit Charles to cross Austrian territory, on his way to Switzerland. Chancellor Mayr replied in the affirmative. This interview followed a visit to the chancellor by the Swiss minister, who stated his government would be willing to grant Charles safe conduct over the Swiss frontier.

Callers at the Hungarian legation yesterday were assured that the bulk of the Hungarian army was loyal to Admiral Horthy, the regent.

These incidents tended to lessen the tension prevailing all day yesterday as a result of sensational reports favorable to the monarchists' cause. It is pointed out here, however, that the Hungarian minister is an avowed Carlisle and that the official notice that Charles would leave Hungary did not mention the date of his departure nor his destination.

Reports are current here that an adjutant on the staff of Gen. Lohar, who is supporting the former emperor, is in Vienna, and has said that the first move of Charles would be to proclaim himself king of German west Hungary. The former emperor died last evening with Count Prince Nicholas Es-

terhazy at the latter's estate near Steinhilber.

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Hon. Morgan O'Brien of
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Distress

The following story on the work for relief of distress in Ireland has been issued from the headquarters of the American committee, No. 1 West 34th street, New York city. It is by Hon. Morgan J. O'Brien, national chairman:

By MORGAN J. O'BRIEN

The American Committee for Relief in Ireland is a non-partisan organization for the sole purpose of alleviating human suffering. It aims to do for the distressed children and women of Ireland what the committee for relief in Belgium did for that country during the war. It aims to give hungry babies food and rag-clad babies clothing. It aims to succor starving mothers and give them the help they need. It is asking the American people to supply \$10,000,000.

In Dublin alone there are some 5,000 children existing on a cup of cocoa and a slice of bread a day. In Belfast since last July some 30,000 people have been living on a relief fund supplied by the rest of Ireland, by England, Scotland, and Wales. Two hundred thousand pounds have already been spent for relief in Belfast. Much of this came through a London committee including Viscount Bryce, General Maurice, Gilbert Murray—to mention only a few. But the fund is now exhausted, and the need is still growing. Cork, which once swelled the fund by \$40,000, is now crying for help herself. Eight hundred heads of families in that city are at present dependent absolutely on charity.

A complete program of relief based on personal investigation has already been drawn up by our unit in Ireland. This unit, which is entirely composed of members of the American Society of Friends acting as individuals, is headed by C. J. France, formerly executive secretary of the port of Seattle. Mr. France and his associates have been granted full facilities by the commander of the forces in Ireland and have been able to make a personal examination of conditions even in most of the martial law areas. He has received full assurance from Dublin Castle authorities and from the military that there will be no hindrance, either civil or military.

This committee will allow no bias, either religious or political, in the distribution of supplies to those in need. For proof of this one needs only to glance at the distinguished list of vice-chairmen who have lent us the support of their names and their influence in this campaign. Among them are the following: His Eminence Cardinal Gibbons, now deceased; Bernard M. Baruch; George B. Cortelyou; Hon. Josephus Daniels, General Charles G. Dawes; Halsey Elsie; Samuel Gompers; Chas. H. Ingersoll; David Starr Jordan; Franklin K. Lane, ex-Senator Albert J. Beveridge; Henry Watterson; Wm. G. McAdoo, Senator Medill McCormick; Elizabeth Marbury; Henry Morgenthau; William Randolph Hearst; the Hon. John J. Blaine, Governor of Wisconsin; A. O. Brown, governor of New Hampshire; D. W. Davis, governor of Idaho; H. L. Davis, governor of Ohio; Westmoreland Davis, governor of Virginia; J. M. Dixon, governor of Montana; Edward I. Edwards, governor of New Jersey; L. J. Frazier, governor of North Dakota; A. J. Groesbeck, governor of Michigan; C. H. Hyde, governor of Missouri; C. H. Mahony, governor of Utah; T. P. Morgan, governor of Kentucky; J. O. Pless, governor of Pennsylvania; Lee M. Russell, governor of Mississippi; E. J. San Saut, governor of Rhode Island; O. H. Shoup, governor of Colorado; His Eminence William Cardinal O'Connell, and Charles Naeff, ex-secretary of commerce and labor.

WANTS IMMIGRANTS

Canada Needs the Foreigner for Its Prosperity

MONTREAL, Can., April 1.—Canadian interests invite immigrants while the United States seeks to restrict them. "Immigration is Canada's great salvation," says E. W. Beatty, president of the Canadian Immigration League. "It was aggressive immigration, propaganda which built up the Canadian Pacific, and without immigration the prospects of the Canadian National are hopeless."

Fifty per cent. of the students at Manitoba university are of foreign parentage. Only 10 of 16,000 Scandinavians who immigrated to Canada in 1920 were deported.

Railroad heads and leaders of commerce say that a greater population is urgently needed to provide more traffic for railroads and build up industries so that the enormous national indebtedness may be lifted.

WHEN WILLIAM AWAKE

MATSVILLE, N.Y., April 1.—William Glascock banged himself from a raft. He was surprised to wake up in bed at home. The rope broke and he was knocked unconscious instead of being killed.

"How My Poor Back Does Ache!"

Many a woman keeps Sloan's handy for this, but it's great for other pains, too.

THAT dragging, wearying back-ache, that so many women regularly suffer from, is quickly eased by a little Sloan's Liniment. But it is good for all the family. Apply it, without rubbing, for all kinds of aches and pains, from the sharp neuralgic twinges to the dull, tearing ache of rheumatism.

Then there's sciatica, lumbago, sore muscles, stiff joints. Keep a bottle handy for you never'll know when you will need it. It is most economical. At all druggists—35c, 70c, \$1.40.

**Sloan's
Liniment**



PARAGON
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PERSEVERANCE
STILLWATER
AM. WOOLEN

WANSKUK
STANDISH
DUNN'S

ARLINGTON
WATERHOUSE
FRENCH RIVER

These goods are as staple as sugar and you can't go wrong in buying them—and as always, Mitchell, the Tailor's prices are lower than others will ask for the same quality—because of the tremendous cash purchasing power of my big organization, always alert to take the extra discounts of spot cash offerings.

My Special Spring Offer FOR A SHORT TIME ONLY

I will build to your order a four-piece suit, cut to your individual measure, made any style you select, designed by the highest priced cutter in Lowell, and tailored by experts, with high-grade linings and trimmings, for \$35.00, and Extra Trousers of Same Material.

Think of this, men—right now at the very beginning of the Spring season, when others are asking almost double my price even for risky ready-to-wear, I can make these suits at this price and make a small margin of profit, and don't forget the Extra Pair of Trousers doubles the life of the suit.

MITCHELL, The Tailor

31 MERRIMACK SQ.
LOWELL

Advance Showing of 1921 Spring Suitings

As usual, Mitchell, the Tailor, is first with the new season's offerings, and never before in my entire history, have I been able to offer such a variety of fabrics and weaves—such a profusion of shades and colorings in all wool and worsted suitings from America's foremost mills. Every pattern is new and desirable, and selected with due regard to climatic conditions of New England, suitable for all year round wear. Worsteds, Tweeds, Serges, Pencil Stripes, Herringbones and Novelty Weaves that others will show later are here—NOW—in all their glory for your selection.

I recently purchased the entire sample line of a Worcester wholesale woolen house whose name I promised not to mention, consisting of the very finest quality of suit patterns woven by some of the following mills whose reputation needs no comment—

A \$50 OFFERING
TWO-TROUSER SUITS MADE TO YOUR
MEASURE FOR

\$35

Extra Trousers of Same Material

MANY CURIOUS SIGHTS IN CONSTANTINOPLE

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 1.—There are many curious things in this ancient city of the Turk which are unknown to most people. It has remained for a sailor aboard the United States warship Scorpion to classify some of these oddities for the readers of *Far Seas*, the paper published by American blue-jackets in Near Eastern waters.

"Just imagine," he writes, "tying up traffic on the main thoroughfare of a big city during the busiest hours of the day by driving a flock of sheep slowly down the street. But they do it over here."

Some other alleged strange things done by the Constantinopolitans are cited as follows: A street car passenger often bargains with the conductor about the price he will pay for a ride. If a twelfth takes a girl to the movies once or twice her parents expect him to marry her.

Turkish saleswomen, even in the smallest shops, are required to understand or speak seven or eight languages.

Native men are accustomed to "rent" a pipe to smoke while they sip their afternoon tea.

A policeman, if he finds a pickpocket at work, may beat him almost insensibly and then let his prisoner go.

Some Constantinople stores have signs in as many as eight languages over their doors.

A tourist may engage a boatman to row him for two miles for two or three cents.

Christmas is celebrated four times a year, once for each of the different religious calendars.

A man walking along the street often may be followed a few or ten paces in the rear by a few of his wives.

A hootblack will give you a good shine for a cigarette.

There is no limit to automobile speeding in any part of Constantinople but it's a case of "all you can make."

A Turkish barber is courteous but when he shaves you he never washes off the lather but covers your face with powder.

A suit of pajamas, or its equivalent, is enough "evening dress" at a grand ball.

Don't fail to get a copy of the *People's Atlas*, only 50 cents with one Sun Atlas coupon. Now on sale at The Sun office.

MARRIAGE "PROFITEER" LATEST IN GERMANY

BERLIN, April 1.—Marriage licenses are being utilized for profiteering by Germans. The marriage "profiteer" developed out of the situation which has made necessary the strict "rationing" of housing space. A married couple or a pair about to be married may obtain permission to occupy certain rooms by presentation of the marriage license to the housing office.

It has been discovered that many marriage licenses have been issued to men and women who have no intention to marry but, having secured the license, and the permission to occupy the number of rooms allotted to married persons, sell the "permission" to married folks or others who need rooms and cannot find them.

The officials say some profitable business has been done, but that the practice is being stopped by keeping a watch on those to whom marriage licenses are granted and withdrawing permission to occupy rooms unless the marriage is performed.

Marriages, however, eclipsed all previous records in the last year. The number has increased two-fold over

pre-war years, and many fold over the marriages during the war, which fell to less than half the normal number.

"Many young folks today are getting married here simply to get a room, cheaply," said a Berlin official. "The cost of the dwelling is cut in half by the marriage of a man and woman, both of whom are working. They also feel they can co-operate to some advantage in the matter of food, which is a serious problem."

UNDER OWN SHELL

Tomas Says He Made Long
Range Shell

(Special to The Sun.)

MINNEAPOLIS, April 1.—A spy story that rivals anything a fiction writer ever evolved is told by John Tomas as part of his own experiences.

He was a captain of the Polish army. He was in Paris when the Big Bertha that projected shells 75 miles stormed the city.

He recognized the shell as one of his own invention. French officers did not believe his claim.

Captain Tomas drew for them plans of the internal mechanism of the shell. When the shell was dissected it was found to operate on the plan drawn by Tomas.

Tomas says he left the shell with a Minneapolis attorney to be patented when he was called to the colors in 1917. He says that he believes a German spy secured the specifications of the shell and sent them to Germany.

Floyd R. Olson, county attorney, is investigating the story and may recommend action by federal attorneys.

Peterson's Ointment

Best for Eczema

First Application Stops Itching of Eczema, Salt Rheum and Piles

Ends Chafing, Distress in Five Minutes

"Live and let live is my motto," says Peterson of Buffalo. "Druggists all over America sell PETERSON'S OINTMENT for 35 cents a large box and I say to those druggists, if anyone buys my ointment for any of the diseases or ailments for which I recommend it and are not benefited, give them their money back."

"I've got a safe full of thankful letters testifying to the mighty healing power of Peterson's Ointment for old and young eczema, eczema, salt rheum, ulcers, sore nipples, broken breast, itching scalp, chafing and blind, itching and bleeding piles."

John Scott, 233 Virginia street, Buffalo, writes: "Peterson's Ointment is simply wonderful. It cured me of eczema and also piles, and it did it so quickly that I was astonished." Mail orders filled by Peterson Ointment Co., Inc., Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.

DEAR OLD LADY LOST FIVE SWEETHEARTS

(Special to The Sun.)

DETROIT, April 1.—Many lost a sweetheart in the world war; Mrs. Julia Barnard lost five—and she is 53.

She has just revealed the identity of the five strapping soldier boys whose photos stand on her dresser in the Old Folks' home.

During the war she read a notice about lonely boys overseas who wanted someone to write to them. She addressed a letter to "the loneliest boy."

It was a youthful letter, full of romance and imagination.

Five youths from Tower City, S. D., all answered it. The exchange continued, Mrs. Barnard writing each a letter a week and knitting warm sweaters for them all, and the soldier boys telling her vivid tales of the war.

Just before the armistice all five were killed.

It was a blow to Mrs. Barnard, but

on the same day she heard the news she sent all the letters to the mothers of the boys, asking only their photographs in exchange. That explains the row of pictures that stands on Mrs. Barnard's dresser in the Old Folks' home.

THE PEOPLE'S ATLAS

The whole world re-mapped by the world war. Maps of battlefields of France and Belgium, also 1920 census for the United States, all complete for 50 cents with one Atlas coupon to be found on last page of this issue. On sale at The Sun office.

CHURCHLESS COUNTRIES

GREAT FALLS, Mont., April 1.—Rev. F. E. Henry has gone east to enlist theological graduates. That's because a number of Montana's rural counties are without church services. One county has no church building.

CAN SHELLS IT, ANYWAY

HODGENVILLE, Ky., April 1.—Con-Bred whiskey was poured into a ditch in front of the court house during the night someone dug up and removed the sand.

LEGION WARNING

Urges Public to Be Careful
About Contributions

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 1.—The American Legion has appealed to the public not to contribute to anyone soliciting funds for disabled soldiers unless the solicitors are properly endorsed.

"Money for injured soldiers should go dollar for dollar for the benefit of the disabled," a Legion bulletin says. "It should not go where most of it is used to pay salaries and meet administrative expenses."

The legion wants the government to care directly and completely for wounded soldiers.

If contributions are made for local emergency relief they should be made to welfare societies which were active for the army and navy during the war and not to societies formed since the armistice, the legion advises.

**CREDITORS WANT MONEY—
WE MUST RAISE \$10,000**
Everything Will Be Sold Regardless of Cost at

Public Auction

Stock consisting of Diamonds, Watches, Jewelry, Clocks and Silverware must be sold and sacrificed. Now is the time to buy below factory prices.

Sale Starts Friday at 2 O'Clock—Evenings 7 O'Clock

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107 CENTRAL ST.

Sherwin-Williams Dry Lime Sulphur

Not a substitute for Lime Sulphur Solution, but is standard 33 degrees Baume Lime Sulphur Solution in dry powdered form.

S.W. Dry Lime Sulphur is an effective remedy for San Jose and oyster-shell scale and all scale insects. It will also control apple scab, peach leaf curl and apple and pear canker and other fungus diseases.

Put up in 1s, 5s, 10s, 25s, and 50 lb. packages.

Adams Hardware

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351 Middlesex St.



MAY BE SUMMER WHITE HOUSE

President and Mrs. Warren G. Harding may spend their summer vacation at the country home (above) of Dr. Albert H. Ely, in the Shinnecock Hills, at Southampton, L. I. Dr. and Mrs. Ely (below) of New York are close friends of the Hardings and have issued the invitation. Dr. Ely accompanied Harding on his trip to Florida, just before the inauguration.

WHAT RICH PAY TAX COLLECTOR

John D. Rockefeller Leads
List—28 Have \$2,000,000
Income

Two Men Frolicked About
On Seven Million and a
Half Income

(Special to 'The Sun')
BY WHIT JADLEY
NEW YORK, March 31.—Did you know that two men in the United States confessed to the collector of internal revenue, "Big Bill" Edwards, that their net personal income last year were in excess of three million dollars?

Did you know that John D. Rockefeller not only had a personal income of sixty million dollars, but drew a check for \$38,400,000 and mailed it to the government as his income tax contribution?

Some amazing figures, running close to the billion dollar mark, are made public by Edwards through official reports now in the hands of the commissioner of internal revenue at Washington.

28 Huge Incomes
Twenty-eight gentlemen admitted, it seems, having incomes during 1920 of \$2,000,000 up, while 13 others said languidly they received between a million and a half and two millions.

The late H. C. Frick had \$11,250,000 income and out of it the government got \$7,150,000.

Two other men frolicked about with seven million and a half and each paid the government \$4,800,000. They were George F. Baker and William Rockefeller.

Edward S. Harkness and J. Ogden Armour were taxed to the tune of \$6,250,000. They paid the government a flat four million each while Henry Ford and W. K. Vanderbilt, as well as Edward H. R. Green, having each five million dollars on their hands during the year, disposed of \$2,200,000 of it by sending it to the government in the form of a certified check.

Vast Fortunes
These figures appear as personal incomes and do not, of course, represent the staggering principals that yielded so golden a flow.

If, for example, Rockefeller's net income was sixty million dollars and this sum represented only 6 per cent. interest on the principle, the principle itself must have been one billion dollars.

In like fashion Frick must have had a capital of \$187,500,000 to return him \$11,250,000 in interest.

The records announce that 28 of the richest taxpayers are scattered.

About 14 came from New York, two from Delaware, one from Michigan, one from Ohio, two from Pennsylvania, one from Rhode Island, two from Texas and five from Massachusetts.

Astor's Stipend
Vincent Astor's income amounted to \$3,750,000 during 1920, and he paid a tax of \$2,400,000.

James A. Stillman, president of the National City bank, as well as Thomas P. Ryan, Daniel Guggenheim, Chas. M. Schwab, J. P. Morgan and Joseph Widener had an estimated income of \$3,600,000, and paid approximately \$2,100,000 as an income tax.

Henry Phipps, however, and James B. Duke, like Jacob H. Schiff and Pierre S. du Pont, had incomes slightly in excess of \$2,500,000 and were required to pay over \$1,600,000 as a result.

Doing Fairly Well
Of 115 who had net incomes of \$500,000 to \$1,000,000, 45 made from \$750,000 to \$1,000,000, and 132 earned between \$500,000 and \$750,000.

The average tax paid by each person in the country who was subject to tax amounted to \$254.85 and the average tax rate was 1.93.

UNIVERSITY STUDENTS SEIZE CITY HALL

ROSARIO, Argentina, April 1.—A band of university students took forcible possession of the municipal building a few days ago and dictated a decree taking over the city government with a view, they said, to settling the strike of municipal employees and other workers from which the city had been suffering for several weeks. At that stage they were arrested.

The students overpowered the janitor and the night watchman, the only persons in the building at the time, and locked them in a room. Then, after looting the watchman's red coat and cap on the flagpole, they broke into the mayor's office and proceeded to dictate their decree. In it they "removed" the mayor as "useless" and named one of their own number to fill the "vacancy." They also "dissolved" the city council and replaced it with a "council of students and workers." They were on the point of removing also the chief of police, but this part of their decree was never fulfilled.

The janitor had escaped and notified the chief of police who sent a detachment of mounted police to the building and the student government suddenly found itself faced with revolvers. It submitted to arrest without resistance and was locked up.

When the authorities professed to view the incident as a student prank, nevertheless, a strong guard has now been placed about the municipal building.

A piece of thin silk put into the heels of silk stockings will add greatly to the time they wear?

Eyes Weak?

If your eyes are weak and work-strained; your vision blurred, if you find it difficult to read and must wear glasses, go to your druggist and get a bottle of Bon-Opto tablets. Drop one in a fourth of a glass of water and bathe the eyes two to four times a day. Stronger eyes, clearer vision, and sweet relief will make you tell your friends about Bon-Opto.

Note: Doctors say Bon-Opto strengthens eyesight 30% in a week's time in many instances.

Our Boys' Department

Second to None in Lowell

Our Boys' Clothing is very much cheaper than last year, yet we do not try to maintain so low a price as to lower our standard of quality. We do believe that we are giving better wearing quality for the money than can be bought elsewhere.

TWO-PANT SUITS
Dark gray with just a touch of red and green. Two pairs of pants—

\$8.50

Tan and Brown Tweeds and Cassimeres, as well made as suits that cost many dollars more. Two pairs of pants—

\$10.50

New lot just arrived—green and purple heather mixed. Good weight and well made. Two pairs of pants.

\$15.00

ONE-PANT NORFOLK SUITS

At about 50 per cent. their former price. These are broken lots, left from Easter, of our high grade suits. Made with canvas fronts, hand made collars. Any who are looking for something good will find it in this lot.

\$15, \$17.50, \$20

VERY SPECIAL — Tan Mixed Tweed Suits. Sizes 9 to 15 only.

\$12.50

Juvenile Suits

Many styles now in demand and novelties which will please you. Materials that will please you. A little better than is found in the ordinary store.

\$6.50, \$8.50,

\$10.50 to \$12.50

BLUE SERGE MIDDIES

Guaranteed all wool, fast color serge, well made and nicely trimmed. Guaranteed to stand up to the Macartney reputation.

\$8.50, \$10.50

All Wool Blue Serge Tams **\$1.59**

Best Assortment of Boys' Hats and Caps in Lowell

HATS

Straw or cloth; turn-up or turn-down brim. Good quality; just the right shapes.

98c, \$2 to \$3.50

SPECIAL

Odd Hats of broken lines, slightly crushed.

48c

CAPS

Blue Serges, Tweeds, Mixtures, Cassimeres, in handsome plaids, one-piece top or small shapes. Some have unbreakable visors.

98c, \$1.50, \$2

SPECIAL

Odd Caps of broken lines.

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MACARTNEY'S

BOYS' DEPARTMENT

Right
Goods
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FRATERNAL NEWS

A meeting of the committee in charge of the arrangements for the public mass meeting of Oliver Plunkett council, A.A.R.I.R., which will be held next Sunday evening in Colonial hall, Middlesex street, was held last evening. Final plans for the meeting were made and it was announced that the principal speaker will be William H. O'Brien of Boston and the following committee was appointed to receive the visitors: Thomas Golden, President John McNamee, Miss Maria Markham and Miss Catherine Roughan. At the close of the meeting entertainment numbers were given by John J. Grady, Thomas Golden, John Daffrey, Miss Catherine Roughan, Wm. Devereux. The meeting was brought to a close with the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner" and "The Soldier's Song."

Gaelic Athletic Association
The members of the Lowell Gaelic Athletic association held a special meeting in Trades and Labor hall, Central street, last evening. President James Brennan occupied the chair and routine business was transacted. The committee on sports reported that the temporary football and "Clare" hurling teams of Boston have accepted the challenge and will come to Lowell to take part in the opening games of the local association in the afternoon of April 13. A committee was appointed to make arrangements for a ladies' night in the near future.

Washington Council
The recent whist and box party held at the home of Miss Margaret Vaughn, 124 Moore street, for the benefit of the George Washington council, A.A.R.I.R., was a success in every way. There was a large attendance, the program

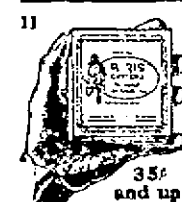
was excellent, and the receipts were very substantial. The prizes and the winners at whist were as follows: First, a cheese dish, Miss Margaret Conley; second, a no-kick, Martin Stacey. The consolation prizes were won by Miss Margaret Dean and Francis Finnegan. The prizes were donated by Michael Slattery. After the whist boxes were auctioned off by James Hearn and the sum of more than \$60 was realized.

AND LAKE HAS NO TIDE
DETROIT, Mich., April 1.—John Thomsdewicz bought a farm. Paid \$1500 cash for it. Two agents said it was worth much more. It was located two miles out in Lake St. Clair.

Headaches from Bright Cold
GROVE'S LAXATIVE BULO QUININE Tablets relieve the headache by curing the cold. A tonic laxative and germ destroyer. The genuine bears the signature of F. W. Grove. (Beware of get BROMO.) 30c.

PARIS GARTERS

NO METAL CAN TOUGH YOU



The few men who have not bought their second pair of PARIS Garters are the ones still wearing their first.

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A WHITE WAY IN TEWKSBURY

Electric Light to Supplant
Gas as Illuminant Along
Main Street

New Town Hall Proves
Popular as Centre of Com-
munity Life

Tewksbury is taking on metropolitan airs. It is to soon have a white way along the whole length of Main street. It will start near Wameest station and extend through the center village three miles down the state road. It will not be quite so bright a white way as Lowell has, but it will be almost as midday unto midnight compared with the past.

For many years the town has depended upon gas for its artificial light. At the last town meeting the selectmen were authorized to make a contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation to extend its wires into the town. The contract has been duly entered into, and the company is now engaged in putting the poles for the wires in place. All along Main street at the present time workmen are engaged in excavating for the poles that are already to be set upright.

From the Main street line the wires are to go into a number of the side streets between Wameest and the center. The principal streets that will be furnished with current are Rogers street, Pike street, and Whipple street; the wires for the latter thoroughfare coming via Wigginsville. Also an extension will be made from the electric wires in North Tewksbury to Almont. It is expected that everything will be in readiness for turning on the juice in about a month.

A Community Center

When the new town hall, of which Tewksbury is justly proud, was dedicated last spring, it was little realized by most of the people of the town

of what great usefulness the building was to be in promoting the social life. It has already become a community center. It is open for every sort of gathering that requires a meeting place. During the ten days beginning last Friday it is to be in use for some purpose on nine of the days. Thursday night the Ladies Aid society of the First Parish church used the hall for a unique entertainment that was largely attended. Previous to the entertainment in the upper hall, a hot roast beef supper was served in the dining room. It was a supper of quality and quantity. If it shed any light as to what Tewksburians commonly food upon, then they are not being troubled by the high cost of living. As to quantity, the servings would have made those of the average city restaurant look like portions for a mouse. The entertainment in the upper hall took the form of the presentation of living pictures from the "Family Album."

As the cover of the album was drawn aside the portraits of different members of the family and their friends were shown on the stage. Those taking part in the entertainment, and the portraits they represented, were as follows: Bride, Mrs. Harry Nash; twins, Mrs. Harry Anthony and Mrs. William Lewis; grandfather, Fred Carter; father, John Gale; mother, Mrs. Joel Phelan; husband, Miss Edith Gibson; minister, Miss Gladys Pillsbury; village beauty, Archie Pillsbury; parson, Mrs. B. L. MacLaren; parson's wife, Miss Stella Morrill; deacon, Mrs. John Seifer; aunt, Miss Hanna Chandler; girls, Miss Thelma Gale, Mrs. Melvin Rogers, and Mrs. Thomas McCausland. The pictures in the album were shown by Mrs. Almina Fense.

In addition to the "Family Album," as part of the entertainment, there were solos by Mrs. Anna Moulton of Medford, readings by Mrs. John McCord of Lowell, and chorus singing. Andrew Warburton was accompanist. A short address was given by Mrs. John Seifer.

One of the most interesting features of the entertainment was the gathering of all of the members of the Ladies Aid society present on the stage grouped around the "mother" of the organization, Mrs. George Pillsbury, who is 90 years old.

The entertainment was given for the purpose of raising money to add to the building fund of the First Parish church. The society now has 55 members.

The entertainment was in charge of the society's social committee made

up of the following named: Mrs. John Seifer, chairman; Mrs. George James, Mrs. Alden Haines, Mrs. Albert C. Blaisdell.

The supper committee was made up as follows: Mrs. Ellen Briggs, chairman; Mrs. John Lyons, Mrs. William Mitchell, Mrs. Albert C. Blaisdell, Mrs. George Newhall, Mrs. James Chambers, Mrs. Alfred Norris, Mrs. E. P. MacLaren, Mrs. Walter Lavelle, Mrs. Harry Nash, Mrs. Charles Kiltredge, Mrs. William Lowin, Mrs. Harry Anthony and Mrs. George James.

Politics Quiet

Tewksbury is not commonly a hot-bed of political strife. A little less than usual, however, seems to be going on at the present time in circles where town politics are discussed. The new town finance committee comes in for a word of occasional comment. The general disposition is to wait and see how the committee shapes its course of action. The general opinion seems to be that if the committee confines itself to affairs strictly within its province, it may prove extremely useful to the town. On the other hand, it is claimed by some, if it undertakes to butt into things that do not properly concern it, as it is said finance committees in other places have done, it will run up against a snag promptly. There is talk of a special town meeting in the near future, but when it will come, if at all, no one seems to be in a position to say.

The town assessors started yesterday to make their annual canvass of the town valuations and poll tax payers.

Effects of Industrial Depression

The period of industrial depression is showing its effects in an increase in the number of inmates in the state infirmary, according to figures furnished by Dr. John H. Nichols, superintendent of the institution. On Wednesday this week there were 2404 persons in the infirmary, exclusive of employees. Last year the number at the same time was 2015. On the last day of February this year there were 2485 inmates as against 2102 last year on the same date. The largest population on any single day during the winter was 2498 which is believed to be a record figure. The proportion of male to female inmates, compared with last year, seems to show that both sexes are being hit about equally by the effects of the industrial curtailment. Dr. Nichols furnished some figures

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Every shirt of unusually high quality, full cut, absolutely perfect. Percales, Pongee and Striped Madras. Coat style, soft French cuffs; sizes 14 to 17 \$1.15



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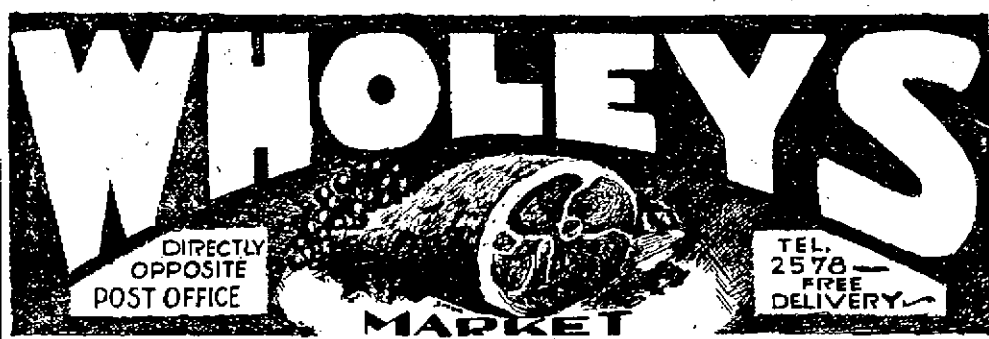
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FANCY SPINACH, Pk. 35¢	CELERY, Bunch... 25¢	HEAVY LETTUCE, Head 15¢
	CARROTS, Lb. 5¢	

PURE COCOA, 2 Lbs. 25¢	RIPE BANANAS, Doz. 30¢
Hamburg Steak, lb. 15¢, 20¢, 25¢	TOMATO SAUSAGE, Lb. 23¢

NAVEL ORANGES, Doz. 39¢	SALT PORK, Lb. 18¢	TOP ROUND STEAK, Lb. 40¢
GRAPEFRUIT, Each 10¢	LEAN CORNED SHOULDERS, Lb. 18¢	FRANKFURTS, Lb. 19¢
STRAWBERRIES, Box 50¢	FRESH SHOULDERS, Lb. 20¢	Squire's PORK SAUSAGE, Lb. 30¢

COCOANUTS, Each 10¢	SMOKED SHOULDERS, Lb. 15¢	Fresh Killed CHICKENS, Lb. 50¢, 55¢
Thick Rib CORNED BEEF Lb. 15¢	ROAST BEEF, Lb. 25¢	Fresh Killed FOWL, Lb. 45¢, 50¢
LEAN SALT RIB, Lb. 15¢	BACON, Strip or Half, Lb. 25¢	LEGS LAMB, Lb. 35¢

FRESH PORK ROAST, Lb. 28¢	ARMOUR'S STAR HAM, Lb. 35¢	LAMB CHOPS, Lb. 28¢
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President and Mrs. Warren G. Harding may spend their summer vacation at the country home (above) of Dr. Albert H. Ely, in the Shinnecock Hills, at Southampton, L. I. Dr. and Mrs. Ely (below) of New York are close friends of the Hardings and have issued the invitation. Dr. Ely accompanied Harding on his trip to Florida, just before the inauguration.

WHAT RICH PAY TAX COLLECTOR

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(Special to The Sun.)

BY WHIT HADLEY

NEW YORK, March 31.—Did you know that two men in the United States confessed to the collector of internal revenue, "Big Bill" Edwards, that their net personal incomes last year were in excess of three million dollars?

Did you know that John D. Rockefeller not only had a personal income of sixty million dollars, but drew a check for \$3,400,000 and mailed it to the government as his income tax contribution?

Some amazing figures, running close to the billion dollar mark, are made public by Edwards through official reports now in the hands of the commissioner of internal revenue at Washington.

28 Huge Incomes

Twenty-eight gentlemen admitted, it seems, having incomes during 1920 of \$2,000,000 up, while 13 others said languidly they received between a million and a half and two millions.

The late H. C. Frick had \$11,250,000 income and out of it the government got \$7,150,000.

Two other men frolicked about with seven million and a half and each paid the government \$4,800,000. They were George F. Baker and William Rockefeller.

Edward S. Harkness and J. Ogden Armour were taxed to the tune of \$6,250,000. They paid the government a flat four million each, while Henry Ford and W. K. Vanderbilt as well as Edward H. R. Green, having each five million dollars on their hands during the year, disposed of \$2,200,000 of it by sending it to the government in the form of a certified check.

Vast Fortunes

These figures appear as personal incomes and do not, of course, represent the staggering principals that yielded so golden a flow.

If, for example, Rockefeller's net income was sixty million dollars and this sum represented only 1 per cent. interest on the principal, the principal itself must have been one billion dollars.

In like fashion Frick must have had a capital of \$187,500,000 to return him \$11,250,000 in interest.

The records announce that 28 of the richest taxpayers are scattered.

About 11 came from New York, two from Delaware, one from Michigan, one from Ohio, two from Pennsylvania, one from Rhode Island, two from Texas and five from Massachusetts.

Astor's Stipend

Vincent Astor's income amounted to \$3,750,000 during 1920, and he paid a tax of \$2,400,000.

James A. Stillman, president of the National City bank, as well as Thomas F. Ryan, Daniel Guggenheim, Chas. M. Schwab, J. P. Morgan and Joseph Widener had an estimated income of \$3,500,000, and paid approximately \$2,400,000 as an income tax.

Henry Phelps, however, and James B. Duke, like Jacob H. Schiff and Pierre S. du Pont, had incomes slightly in excess of \$3,500,000 and were required to pay over \$1,000,000 as a result.

Doing Fairly Well

Of 175 who had net incomes of \$500,000 to \$1,000,000, 46 made from \$750,000 to \$1,000,000, and 132 corralled between \$300,000 and \$750,000.

The average tax paid by each person in the country who was subject to tax amounted to \$254.55 and the average tax rate was 7.05.

UNIVERSITY STUDENTS SEIZE CITY HALL

ROSARIO, Argentina, April 1.—A band of university students took forcible possession of the municipal building a few days ago and dictated a decree taking over the city government with a view, they said, to settling the strike of municipal employees and other workers from which the city had been suffering for several weeks. At that stage they were arrested.

The students overpowered the janitor and the night watchman, the only persons in the building at the time, and locked them in a room. Then, after hoisting the watchman's red coat and cap on the flagpole, they broke into the mayor's office and proceeded to dictate their decree. In it they "removed" the mayor as "useless" and named one of their own number to fill the "vacancy." They also "dissolved" the city council and replaced it with a "council of students and workers." They were on the point of removing also the chief of police, but this part of their decree was never fulfilled.

The janitor had escaped and notified the chief of police who sent a detachment of mounted police to the building and the student government suddenly found itself faced with revolvers. It submitted to arrest without resistance and was locked up.

While the authorities professed to view the incident as a students' prank, nevertheless, a strong guard has now been placed about the municipal building.

A piece of thin silk put into the heels of silk stockings will add greatly to the time they wear.

Eyes Weak?

If your eyes are weak and work-strained; your vision blurred; if you find it difficult to read and must wear glasses, go to your druggist and get a bottle of Bon-Opto tablets. Drop one in a fourth of a glass of water and bathe the eyes two to four times a day. Stronger eyes, clearer vision, and sweet relief will make you tell your friends about Bon-Opto.

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New lot just arrived—green and purple heather mixed. Good weight and well made. Two pairs of pants.

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At about 50 per cent. their former price. These are broken lots, left from Easter, of our high grade suits. Made with canvas fronts, hand made collars. Any who are looking for something good will find it in this lot.

\$15, \$17.50, \$20

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Many styles now in demand and novelties which will please you. Materials that will please you. A little better than is found in the ordinary store.

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FRATERNAL NEWS

A meeting of the committee in charge of the arrangements for the public mass meeting of Oliver Plunkett council, A.A.R.R., which will be held next Sunday evening in Colonial hall, Middlesex street, was held last evening. Final plans for the meeting were made and it was announced that the principal speaker will be William H. O'Brien of Boston and the following committee was appointed to receive the visitors: Thomas Golden, President John McInerney, Miss Maria Markham and Miss Catherine Roushan. At the close of the meeting entertainment numbers were given by John J. Grady, Thomas Golden, John Balfrey, Miss Catherine Roushan, Wm. Devereux. The meeting was brought to a close with the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner" and "The Soldier's Song."

Gaelic Athletic Association

The members of the Lowell Gaelic Athletic Association held a special meeting in Trades and Labor hall, Central street, last evening. President James Brennan occupied the chair and routine business was transacted. The committee on sports reported that the temporary football and Hare hurling teams of Boston have accepted the challenge and will come to Lowell to take part in the coming games of the local association in the afternoon of April 15. A committee was appointed to make arrangements for a ladies' night in the near future.

Washington Council

The recent whist and box party held at the home of Miss Margaret Vaughn, 124 Moore street, for the benefit of the George Washington council, A.A.R.R., was a success in every way. There was a large attendance, the program

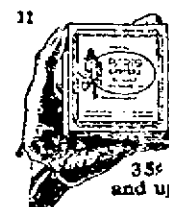
was excellent, and the receipts were very substantial. The prizes and the winners at whist were as follows: First, a cheese dish, Miss Margaret Conley; second, a necktie, Martin Slattery. The consolation prizes were won by Miss Margaret Dean and Francis Finnegan. The prizes were donated by Michael Slattery. After the whist the boxes were auctioned off by James Hearn and the sum of more than \$50 was realized.

AND LAKE HAS NO TIDE
DETROIT, Mich., April 1.—John Thomaitewicz bought a farm, paid \$1500 cash for it. Two agents said it was worth much more. It was located two miles out in Lake St. Clair.

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A WHITE WAY IN TEWKSBURY

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Gas as Illuminant Along
Main Street

New Town Hall Proves
Popular as Centre of Com-
munity Life

Tewksbury is taking on metropolitan airs. It is to soon have a white way along the whole length of Main street. It will start near Wampanoag station and extend through the center village three miles down the state road. It will not be quite so bright a white way as Lowell has, but it will be almost as midday unto midnight compared with the past. For many years the town has depended upon gas for its artificial light. At the last town meeting the selectmen were authorized to make a contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation to extend its wires into the town. The contract has been duly entered into, and the company is now engaged in putting the poles for the wires in place. All along Main street at the present time workmen are engaged in excavating for the poles that are already to be set upright. From the Main street line the wires are to go into a number of the side streets between Wampanoag and the center. The principal streets that will be furnished with current are Rogers street, Pike street, and Whipple street; the wires for the latter thoroughfare coming via Wiggintville. Also an extension will be made from the electric wires in North Tewksbury to Alford.

It is expected that everything will be in readiness for turning on the juice in about a month.

A Community Center

When the new town hall, of which Tewksbury is justifiably proud, was dedicated last spring, it was little realized by most of the people of the town

of what great usefulness the building was to be in promoting the social life. It has already become a community center. It is open for every sort of gathering that requires a meeting place. During the ten days beginning last Friday it is to be in use for some purpose or other of the days. Thursday night the ladies' aid society of the First Parish church used the hall for a unique entertainment that was largely attended. Previous to the entertainment in the upper hall, a hot roast beef supper was served in the dining room. It was a supper of quality and quantity. It shed any light as to what Tewksburians commonly feed upon, then they are not being troubled by the high cost of living. As to quantity, the servings would have made those of the average city restaurant look like portions for a mouse. The entertainment in the upper hall took the form of the presentation of living pictures from the "Family Album." As the cover of the album was drawn aside the portraits of different members of the family and their friends were shown on the stage.

Those taking part in the entertainment, and the portraits they represented, were as follows: Bride, Mrs. Harry Nash; twins, Mrs. Harry Nash and Mrs. William Lewis; grandfather, Fred Carter; father, John Gale; mother, Mrs. Joel Phelps; husband, Miss Edith Gibbons; minister, Miss Gladys Pillsbury; village beauty, Archie Pillsbury; parson, Mrs. E. P. MacLaren; parson's wife, Miss Stella Morrill; deacon, Mrs. John Seifer; aunt, Miss Emma Chandler; girls, Miss Thelma Gale, Mrs. Melvin Rogers, and Mrs. Thomas McCausland. The pictures in the album were shown by Mrs. Alvin Pease.

In addition to the "Family Album," as part of the entertainment, there were solos by Mrs. Anna Moulton of Medford, readings by Mrs. John McCord of Lowell, and chorus singing. Andrew Warburton was accompanist. A short address was given by Mrs. John Seifer.

One of the most interesting features of the entertainment was the gathering of all of the members of the Ladies' Aid society present on the stage grouped around the "mother" of the organization, Mrs. George Pillsbury, who is 30 years old.

The entertainment was given for the purpose of raising money to add to the building fund of the First Parish church. The society now has 58 members.

The entertainment was in charge of the society's social committee made

up of the following named: Mrs. John Seifer, chairman; Mrs. George James, Mrs. Alden Haines, Mrs. Albert C. Blaisdell.

The supper committee was made up as follows: Mrs. Ellen Briggs, chairman; Mrs. John Lyons, Mrs. William Mitchell, Mrs. Albert C. Blaisdell, Mrs. George Newhall, Mrs. Janice Chambers, Mrs. Alfred Norris, Mrs. E. P. MacLaren, Mrs. Walter Lavelle, Mrs. Harry Nash, Mrs. Charles Kirtledge, Mrs. William Lewis, Mrs. Harry Anthony and Mrs. George James.

Politics Quiet

Tewksbury is not commonly a hot-bed of political strife. A little less than usual, however, seems to be going on at the present time in circles where town politics are discussed. The new town finance committee comes in for a word of occasional comment. The general disposition is to wait and see how the committee shapes its course of action. The general opinion seems to be that if the committee confines itself to affairs strictly within its province, it may prove extremely useful to the town. On the other hand, it is claimed by some, if it undertakes to build into things that do not properly concern it, as it is said finance committees in other places have done, it will run up against a snag promptly. There is talk of a special town meeting in the near future, but when it will come, if at all, no one seems to be in a position to say.

The town assessors started yesterday to make their annual canvass of the town valuations and poll tax payers.

Effects of Industrial Depression

The period of industrial depression is showing its effects in an increase in the number of inmates in the state infirmary, according to figures furnished by Dr. John H. Nichols, superintendent of the institution. On Wednesday this week there were 2404 persons in the infirmary, exclusive of employees. Last year the number at the same time was 2015. On the last day of February this year there were 2465 inmates as against 2102 last year on the same date. The largest population on any single day during the winter was 2485 which is believed to be a record figure. The proportion of male to female inmates, compared with last year, seems to show that both sexes are being hit about equally by the effects of the industrial curtailment. Dr. Nichols furnished some figures

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Can Corn, Peas, Tomatoes, 12½¢	PEA BEANS, Lb. 7¢

LARGE SOUND ONIONS 10 Lbs. 25¢	Fancy G. M. POTATOES Pk. 25¢	NEW CABBAGE, Lb. 5¢
FANCY SPINACH, Pk. 35¢	CELERY, Bunch... 25¢	HEAVY LETTUCE, Head 15¢
	CARROTS, Lb. 5¢	

PURE COCOA, 2 Lbs. 25¢	RIPE BANANAS, Doz. 30¢
Hamburg Steak, lb. 15¢, 20¢, 25¢	TOMATO SAUSAGE, Lb. 23¢

NAVEL ORANGES, Doz. 39¢	SALT PORK, Lb. 18¢	TOP ROUND STEAK, Lb. 40¢
GRAPEFRUIT, Each 10¢	LEAN CORNED SHOULDERS, Lb. 18¢	FRANKFURTS, Lb. 19¢
STRAWBERRIES, Box 50¢	FRESH SHOULDERS, Lb. 20¢	Squire's PORK SAUSAGE, Lb. 30¢

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Thick Rib CORNED BEEF Lb. 15¢	ROAST BEEF, Lb. 25¢	Fresh Killed FOWL, Lb. 45¢, 50¢
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LONDON, April 1.—All work ceased in the coal mines of the United Kingdom at midnight with the exception of a few districts and approximately 1,200,000 miners were idle today, as a result of the controversy over the wage issue. In two collieries in Yorkshire, one in Northumberland, one in Scotland and one in North Wales, the men without prejudice to any terms that might be agreed upon, but all other pit workers, including mechanics, pumpmen, ventilating men and pony men, came out with the miners.

Danger that the mines may be flooded threatens, and many may be ruined from the rush of water. Strenuous efforts are being made everywhere to prevent the water from entering the mines. In Yorkshire pumpmen have decided to remain at work and hope was expressed today that others would follow their example.

Orders Placed in America

The first effect of the strike has been the placing of orders with American coal merchants. Advice from New York state that a flood of orders from European countries which normally have formed the British market, has been received there. Although the country's stock of coal is estimated at one million tons, the price of household fuel already has risen two shillings per ton. London and other urban centers are believed to have several weeks' supply on hand.

Apprehension is felt that the National Union of Railwaymen and the Transport Workers' Union, partners with the miners in the labor dispute, may be tempted to strike in sympathy.

One of the largest wards in London took precautionary steps and formed a company of special police to protect property. Orders were issued to employees of various government departments to "stand by" to report for transport duty if necessary.

BOLAND MAKES REPLY

Quotes White Book to Refute Charges From British Embassy on Irish Relief

NEW YORK, April 1.—Replying to the statement by the British embassy that sufficient money had been raised by taxation in the United Kingdom for Irish relief, H. J. Boland, envoy of the Irish republic, yesterday denied that funds had been raised in the United Kingdom for Ireland and declared that taxes raised in Ireland are no longer used for that relief.

"According to a white paper issued by the British government, the revenue collected by them from Ireland amounted to \$50,000,000 in the year ended March 31, 1920," Boland declared. "The amount expended in Ireland for the same period amounted to \$23,221,000. The money, therefore, which the British ambassador claims to have been raised in the United Kingdom is really Irish money."

"Instead of its being available for the betterment or relief of the Irish people, I have information that all grants have been stopped."

He charged that all distress in Ireland is the result of British "inaction" there, and the necessity for American relief would cease automatically in Ireland if the British "stopped their reign of terror and removed their army."

HOUSE IS BADLY DAMAGED BY FIRE

A house at 24 Elsie Avenue, owned by Mrs. Mary Wood, was badly damaged by fire late yesterday afternoon. The blaze, which was started by an overheated chimney, originated in the kitchen of the building, which is an ell, and before it was discovered, worked its way through the partitions to the blind attic and roof. An alarm from box 75 was sounded at 5:30 o'clock and the firemen found it a difficult job to get at the fire. The ell was badly damaged.

At 6:10 o'clock there was an alarm from box 118 for a blaze in the quarters of Club Passe-Temps at the corner of Cheever and Coolidge streets. The fire, which is believed to have been caused by rats and matches, started in the partition in the rear end of the building, but was extinguished before any serious damage was done.

TO REDUCE WAGES OF SEAMEN

WASHINGTON, April 1.—Tentative approval was given by the Shipping Board today to a reduction in the wages of seamen employed on American vessels on the Atlantic and Gulf coasts. The question was up at a conference between Chairman Benson and representatives of the American Steamship Owners' Association.

FIVE PERSONS INJURED IN TRIPLE CRASH

BOSTON, April 1.—Five persons were injured, one of them seriously, when two street cars, bound in opposite directions, simultaneously struck a small automobile at Putnam and Bennington streets, East Boston, reducing the automobile to splinters. The accident occurred about 8:30 last night and created the greatest excitement, as the crash was heard for blocks and the screams aroused the whole neighborhood.

Mrs. Thomas F. Keefe, 31, of 1032 Saratoga street, East Boston, concussion of the brain and a lacerated wound in the right shoulder.

Mrs. Gerald Lambert of 1058 Saratoga street, East Boston, cuts on the face and hands and right thigh.

A. H. Marshall, 33, of 203 Prescott street, East Boston; hernia.

Denetrius Armenis, 18, of 158 Highland ave., Winthrop, minor cuts on the hands.

Peter Armenis, 25, 158 Highland ave., Winthrop, severe concussion of the right knee and wounds on the hands.

The latter two were in the automobile, which was driven by Peter Armenis.

According to eyewitnesses, the accident occurred in this way: The automobile was proceeding along Bennington street in the direction of Day square. One electric car was bound toward Orient Heights and the other toward Boston. Suddenly the automobile swerved and attempted to pass between the two cars.

Both motormen applied their brakes in an effort to avoid the crash, but the distance was too scant and with a crash that could be heard several blocks away the automobile was crushed between the two electric cars.

TROUPE QUI-VIVE

Close to 1000 persons attended the performance which was given last evening at the Academy of Music in Dutton street by members of Troupe Qui-Vive, an organization composed of some of the best local stage talent.

The play, "L'Cherno d'Aibi," was given under the direction of George Labranche and those who sustained parts were as follows: Isale Michaud, Armand Dupont, George Labranche, Leo St. Jean, Miss Yvonne Falardeau, Miss Irene Tessier, Miss Alice Belanger, Miss Marianna Labranche.

Between the acts entertainment numbers were given by Miss Miss Jeanette Labranche, George Labranche, Armand Dupont, Leo St. Jean, Miss Yvonne Falardeau, Miss Irene Tessier and Miss Josephine Surprenant. In the course of the evening selections were given by an orchestra.

ATTACHMENTS FILED

An attachment in the sum of \$250,000 has been filed at the local registry of deeds office against the Harrington Hotel Co. of this city, in an action of contract brought by the E. A. Abbott Co. of Boston. An attachment in the sum of \$1000 has also been filed against Michael Brooks of Chelmsford, in an action of debt brought by Howard Lohas, also of Chelmsford.

Lowell Has Anniversary

Continued

Interpretive of the spirit of the occasion and proved most interesting to the pupils and their friends and relatives who were in attendance.

At the Butler, Morey, Green and Washington schools the programs were held in the individual classrooms, while in the other elementary schools the exercises were as follows:

Pawtucket School
Salute to the Flag and Pledge of Allegiance
Chorus: "Lift Thine Eyes"
Early Indian History, Evelyn Morris
Reading: "My Merrimack (Lucy Larcom)"
Recitation: "The City of Spindles," Esther Stubbert, Margaret Thomas, Ida Noonan, Thomas McCarty, Bernard Miller.

Reading: "Lucy Larcom," Rena Collins
Recitation: "The Lowell Made Man," Anna Shepard, Jane Hall, Margaret Wholey.
Song: "Tommy's Army," Grade Four
Reading: "The River," Lucy Larcom
Recitation: "The Apostle of the Indians," Mildred Sweeney
Reading: "St. Robert," Lucy Larcom
Flynn.
Reading: "Swinging in a Birch Tree," Estelle Powers

Song: "Wannabait," Elliot Perrin
Chorus: "The Star Spangled Banner," School
Greenhalge School
Mayor Perry D. Thompson delivered an interesting and instructive address on Lowell's history and her prospects for the future at the Lowell day exercises held at the Greenhalge school this afternoon.

The pupils of the school gave an excellent program of recitations, songs and readings having to do with the city and its history.

Colburn School
The Pledge of Allegiance.
The Pledge of Allegiance.
Chorus: The Star Spangled Banner.
Reading: The Founders of Lowell.
Reading: The Cotton Industry in Lowell.
Aphrem Hoyen.

Reading: "The Merrimack River," Ruth Lowney
Reading: Our Parks and Playgrounds, Manuel August
Reading: The Motto and Seal of Lowell.
Anna Tobin.
Reading: Lowell Today.
Frank Early, William C. Keefe.
Reading: The Colburn School.

Francis Rice
Chorus: The Night With the Right.
Recitation: The Builders, Class.
Chorus: America.
Riverside School
Pledge of Allegiance.
Chorus: Star Spangled Banner....Key
Selection from The Story of Wampanoag.
Pupils of the 9th Grade.
Chorus: Stand by the Flag....Tucker
Reading: Passaconaway....Farwell
Ida Downey

Chorus: Home Sweet Home....Payne
Reading: Who Founded Lowell and Why.
Essay written by Marion Parker, Class of '18.
Willard Parker
Chorus: The Dearest Spot....Wrighton
Reading: The True Significance of the Motto and Seal of Lowell.
Essay written by Mildred Jones, Class of '18.
Doris Jones.
Concert recitation: The Song of the Loom
Chorus: My City, This of Thea. Batchelder

Varnum School
Singing—Lowell.
Rella F. Batchelder
School.
Passaconaway....Robert Morse
(a) Kirk Booth....John Alaska
(b) Nathan Appleton Russell Walters
(c) Paul Moody....Yahi Krikorian
Patrick Jackson....Walter Gilman
Singing:
(a) Out on the Sea....Donizetti
(b) The Kindly Stars Are Peeping, Liszt

Miss Sullivan's Room.
Francis Cabot Lowell, Oelida Jasmin
Col. James B. Francis.
Ganeyevye Young
(a) John Elliot....Raymond Coleman
(b) Rev. Theodore Edson.
(a) Lucy Larcom....Marguerite Barbara
(b) Elizabeth Rogers....Helen Pearson
Singing, Hymn of Patriotism.

Hastings School.
Gen. Joseph Bradley Varnum.
Stanley Davis
General Butler....George Anderson
Governor Greenhalge....Richard Reddy
Singing, Home, Sweet Home....Payne
Ninth Grade.
Our City.
John Lally.
Singing, Old Folks at Home.

O'Brien's

Fashion Note—

Young men are favoring the double breasted suit this Spring.

It's not so easy to find smart, snappy, new double breasted suits around town.

At least, so we judge from the number of new faces we've seen here lately, looking over our smart models.

We felt it coming and prepared. You'll find good choosing in double breasted suits here.

In blue flannels, unfinished worsteds and serges—brown unfinished, in plain and herringbone weaves—gray cassimeres and fancy mixtures.

All smartly fashioned and hand tailored—as low at \$25. Better ones at \$30, \$35 and \$40.

At \$35, Blue Flannel Suits with two pairs trousers.

Stein-Bloch Suits cost \$40 to \$50—the grades we sold at \$50 to \$70 last season.

Some of our fine Soft Hats are "down a peg." \$7.50 and \$8.00 qualities, at \$5.00.

Some smart new Derbies, just in, are priced very low—\$3.50.

New Caps at \$1.50 and \$2.

Here's Another Neckwear Special for Saturday Only

Fine Silk Four-in-Hands, with embroidered figures—our dollar qualities—at 65c, 2 for \$1.25.

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The New Yarn Mill will not be ready for operation until a later date.

Man Arrested After Gun Battle Held

BROOKLINE, April 1.—Louis Wolf, who escaped from Sing Sing prison recently and was arrested here last night after an exchange of shots with a policeman, pleaded guilty today to charges of attempting to break and enter, carrying a loaded revolver, and carrying burglar's tools. He was held for the grand jury in \$4500 bonds. The escaped convict said his chief regret was that he had permitted himself to be captured by a policeman of only two weeks' experience after successfully eluding the police of two states.

High Winds Cause \$35,000 Damage

BATH, Me., April 1.—High winds during last night damaged the plant of the Kennebec Wharf & Coal Co. to the extent of \$35,000. The runway, enginehouse, boom and smokestack were blown over. About 200,000 tons of coal was handled last year at the plant, located at the foot of Oak street.

Greeks Close In On Eski-Shehr

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 1.—(By the Associated Press)—Recapture of Eski-Shehr by the Greeks who were driven out of that city by a Turkish counter attack is believed to be certain, in view of the superiority of the Greeks in artillery. The Turkish nationalists appear to be creating two army corps, one for the defense of Angora and one operating in the direction of Konin. Barbed wire entanglements are being erected in front of the Turkish trenches along an extended front.

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TO BRING AUSTRIA BACK TO LIFE

PARIS, April 1. (By the Associated Press).—Efforts to bring back to life have better promise of practical results today than at any time since the situation in that country became desperate.

The plan elaborated by the financial section of the League of Nations commission, has been received with satisfaction by Baron Hiehoff, the Austrian ambassador here, who said today he regarded it as likely to produce results. The allied reparations commission has decided to dissolve its Austrian section.

100 NEW RUBBER COATS

For men, women and children, shall be sold at our Saturday afternoon auction sale.

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WOONG BY PROXY WINS THREE BRIDES, BUT FOURTH, WELL—



THE THREE SUCCESSFUL BROCKTON BACHELORS AND THEIR ARMENIAN BRIDES: LEFT TO RIGHT, EDRENA MARDENIAN, OHANIAN CHANTIGIAN, ARAYALUS GARMEGIAN, MISAK DANIRGHIAN, YERVANTONIAN SHAPGIAN AND LAVON VARJANATIAN.

NEW YORK, March 31.—Mamas Shierian is a 100 per cent. shoemaker in Brockton, Mass.

But he's only a 75 per cent. Cupid. When he went back to Armenia recently to bring his family to America, four bachelor friends in Brockton con-

tracted with him to find them wives among the Armenian girls.

No Shierian in Armenia carried on a four-barreled courtship by proxy and brought back four Armenian brides for his friends.

The meeting occurred at the Travelers' Aid society headquarters here.

Three of the brides-to-be opened their arms to as many bachelors. The fourth didn't like the looks of the man Shierian had selected for her and she jilted him. She has now gone to live with relatives in Boston and says she'll choose a husband of her own. The others married.

GUNMAN CAPTURED IN RUNNING BATTLE

BOSTON, April 1.—After making his escape from a policeman by slipping out of his coat and carrying on a running fight in which many shots were fired, a man who gave his name as Louis Rolf, 4 years old and who the police say declared he escaped from Sing Sing prison on March 9, was re-arrested by the Brookline police last night and locked up, charged with carrying a loaded revolver.

Patrolman Albert A. Strain of the Brookline police declares that while

patrolling his beat about 8.30 o'clock he noticed a man standing on the porch of a vacant house on Winchester street, near Coolidge. As the man perceived the officer he walked toward him, according to Strain, and the latter questioned the man as to his business.

Strain declares that the man's answers were unsatisfactory and the officer placed him under arrest as a suspicious person. At the corner of Fuller and Harvard streets, where the nearest police box is located, Strain declares that the man slipped out of his coat, leaving the garment dangling in the patrolman's hands.

Strain put after the fleeing fugitive, pulling his gun as he went. Fading into the surrounding darkness, the man pulled an automatic pistol and

opened fire upon the patrolman, firing several shots. Strain says that he returned the shots, shooting as long as he could see his target.

Strain telephoned into police headquarters and Lieutenant Mealey dispatched Officers McClacken and Murphy, along with Chauffeur Connolly, in a police automobile. Reaching the scene of the getaway the officers scattered and finally picked up a homeless man at the junction of Commonwealth avenue and Beacon street.

When booked the man gave his name as Louis Rolf and the police say, declared that his home was in Sing Sing. Further questioned by Chief Rutherford, the man declared he had made his escape from that institution on April 9, according to the chief.

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Men's High or Low Cut Shoes, in a variety of styles, black or tan, some carry the brand of a well known make, all sizes in lot, sizes 5 to 11; former prices \$7.00 to \$8.00. Sale price \$4.35

A Special Lot of Men's Gun Metal Heavy Double Sole Shoes, wide toe, Goodyear welt, sizes 6 to 11, wide width; former price \$7.50. Sale price \$4.35

Men's Scout Shoes, a variety of styles, some are elk leather, others are retan stocks, all sizes in lot, 6 to 11; former price \$3.50. Sale price \$2.49

Men's Heavy Work Shoes, with heavy soles, wide toe, easy fitting; all sizes 6 to 10; former price \$3.50. Sale price \$2.49

BOYS' SHOES

Boys' Shoes in a mixed lot, some wide toe, some narrow toe, English style, some very desirable shoes in this lot, all sizes 9 to 13½ and 1 to 6; former prices \$3.00 and \$3.50. Sale price \$1.98

A Special Lot of Boys' Tan Shoes, with narrow toes, English style, very stylish, all sizes 9 to 13½; former price \$3.50. Sale price \$2.49

Also During This Sale Boys' Olive Ooze Hood Fibre Sole Shoes, will outwear any three pairs of tennis shoes, Goodyear welted soles, easy fitting, all sizes 10 to 13½ and 1 to 6; former price \$3.50. Sale price \$1.98

A Lot of Boys' Tan Scout Shoes, made by Endicott & Johnson, all sizes 9 to 13½; former price \$2.50. Sale price \$1.98
Sizes 1 to 6. Sale price \$2.49

A Lot of Boys' Shoes, gun metal, wide toe, easy fitting, all sizes; former price \$2.50. Sale price \$1.69

WOMEN'S SHOES

A Lot of Women's Shoes, in high or low cuts, in pumps and lace oxfords, a good variety of styles and most all sizes in one style or another; former prices \$4.00 and \$5.00. Sale price \$1.98

A Special Lot of Girls' Shoes, sizes 3 and 4 only. These shoes are high cut, gun metal and viel lace, with low heels; former price \$4.00. Sale price \$1.98

A Special Lot of Women's High and Low Cuts, black or tan, in pumps and oxfords, most all sizes in one style or another, Goodyear welt; former prices \$5.00 to \$7.00. Sale price \$2.98

Women's Boudoir Cretonne Slippers, all sizes 4 to 7. Sale price 49¢

Women's One-Strap House Slippers, with rubber heels, an easy fitting style, all sizes, 3 to 7. Sale price \$1.49

Shoe Polish, all kinds, black, white, tan. Sale price 7¢

MISSSES' and CHILDREN'S SHOES

A Lot of Misses' and Children's Shoes, high cut, lace, in black or tan, wide toe, easy fitting; also some misses' tan, cloth top, high cuts, lace, sizes 8½ to 13½ and 1 to 2; former prices \$3 to \$3.50. Sale price \$1.98

Misses' and Children's Patent and Gun Metal Mary Janes, also 1 and 2-straps, all sizes 8½ to 13½ and 1 to 2; former prices \$2.50 and \$3.00. Sale price \$1.98

Infants' Patent Lace High Cut, Fancy Colored Tops, all sizes 3 to 7; former price \$2.50. Sale price \$1.75

Infants' Shoes, in a variety of styles, lace and button, black or tan, heavy or light soles; former price \$1.75. Sale price \$1.25

Babies' Shoes in a variety of styles, lace or button, black or tan, most of these are turned soles, sizes 2 to 5. Sale price, 85¢

Babies' Fancy Shoes, soft soles, in colors; former prices 70¢ and \$1. Sale price, 39¢

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WE HAVE a large line of all wool worsted suits for men and young men at \$18.00 and \$22.50. Flannels in blue, brown and grey, single or double breasted, at \$30.00 and up to \$50.00. Pencil stripes in blue, grey and brown worsteds at \$30.00, either single or double breasted. Pencil stripes in flannels, \$35.00 up to \$50.00. Herringbones are very popular this season. Blue serge suits, \$30.00 to \$55.00. These suits are well made and guaranteed to give satisfaction, and are made by the best manufacturers in this country, among them Kuppenheimer and Fashion Park. We will show you the largest assortment of this season's merchandise in Lowell.

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Slip shoe trees into shoes when you take them off; it makes them keep their shape longer.

Alternate two pairs of shoes; they last longer.

Keep shoes clean and well-polished, a good dressing well rubbed in prolongs the wear of leather and kid.

Clean canvas shoes on shoe trees prevent shrinking. Sponge with a little water or soap that contains whitening or use a commercial cleanser.

If cold baked potatoes are dipped for a moment into hot water and then placed in a moderate oven until warmed through, they are just as nice as freshly baked ones.

Send 232,000 Bushels of Wheat to London

BOSTON, April 1.—More than 232,000 bushels of wheat are being stored aboard the steamship Nitonian here to fill a rush order from London. The consignment is the largest to go out of this port in several months. The last 80,000 bushels were brought from the west by special train.

GERMANS LEAVING LONDON



Walter von Simons, German foreign minister and head of the German reparations delegation, was snapped (right) as he departed from London for Berlin after refusing to meet the allied reparations demands. This refusal resulted in the occupation of east Rhine cities by allied troops. Above, Von Simons' stenographers, brought along from Berlin, as they walked to the train in London.



RAT ENDURANCE TEST IN GLAND EXPERIMENTS

SAN QUENTIN, CAL., APRIL 1.—Seven little white rats, tirelessly running in their whirling wire cages in the California state prison here, are spinning off the face of one of the most important scientific experiments of modern times.

Like the 2000 other prisoners in the state institution, these little animals are locked and double locked in a cell. But the seven white rats have been sent to prison to aid society, whereas the other prisoners are there as enemies of society.

And as they run their seemingly vain course, an automatic counter ticks off the number of revolutions each makes. With dramatic precision each click of the ticker is recorded on a chart in

the office of Dr. L. J. Stanley, the prison physician, and each recorded item indicates the fluctuation in energy of each rodent.

This race, which is being regulated with such detailed care, is the final severe test of the "intersitital gland" operation.

200 Convicts Revived

And, in this connection, it can now be definitely announced that Dr. Stanley, who some months ago attracted nationwide attention through his experiments in gland operations, has successfully worked a miracle on the bodies and spirits of 200 convicts on whom the gland operation has been tried.

It would seem that these operations would be sufficient proof of the effectiveness of gland transplantation. But the conditions under which the test is made on the convict are not considered sufficiently severe.

A convict cannot be penned up like an animal and his expenditure of energy accurately measured. But a white rat can.

So the present experiment is, briefly this:

The seven rats will be kept under several weeks of observation. At the end of the set period their expenditure of energy will have been measured. Then they will be taken from their cages. Each will then undergo gland transplantation.

Operations Differ

To test the entire efficacy of the life giving gland, all variations of the operation will be practiced. One will get a single graft, another a double; one will get a portion of a human gland; another will get a portion of a goat gland.

Then they will be set running again. What will happen? To scientists the element of excitement involved in watching for the answer will have all the thrill of the big scene of a melodrama.

Will these seven rats destroy all illusions that have been built up regarding this new "fountain of youth?"

Will some be benefited and others show ill effects?

Over how long a period will an increase in energy continue?

Will this increase, if it comes, be continuous or will the operation act only as a temporary energizer?

What will be the effect of one operation as compared with another?

These are questions that seven little white rats, tirelessly running in their whirling wire cages, will some day answer for science, and hence for mankind.

WAR ON TRAVEL TAX

Business Stagnated by High Rates, Merchants Say

(Special to The Sun.)

WASHINGTON, April 1.—Removal of the tax on railroad passenger and Pullman tickets is in prospect as a result of a campaign by manufacturers and wholesalers.

These interests point out that the increased railroad rates coupled with the tax prohibits the keeping of salesmen on the road, thus contributing to business stagnation.

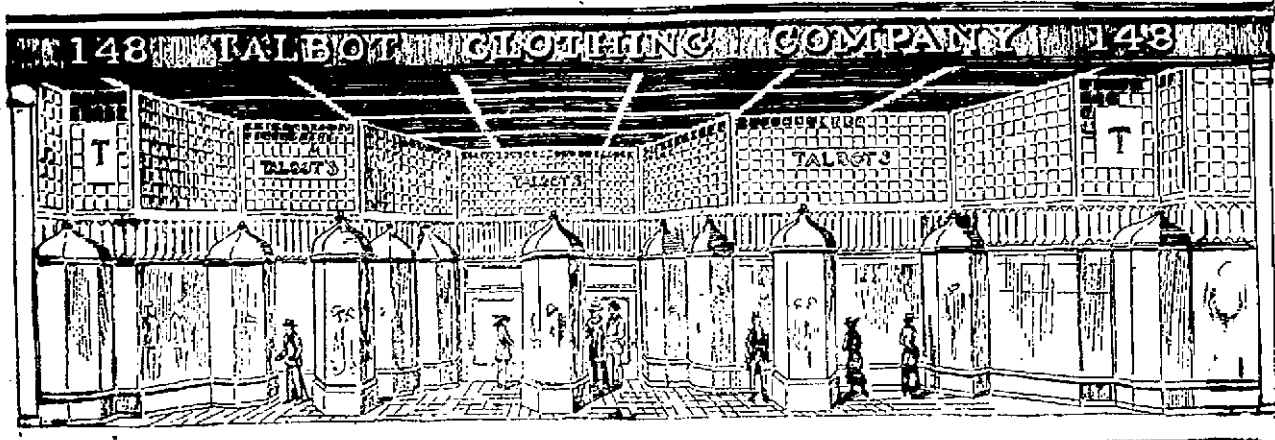
Removal of the tax would increase railroad traffic, and, with their revenue increased, they might be able to reduce fares, it is argued.



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L'Arne Powder, large, all shades; 60c value. Special..... **47c**
L'Arne Powder, small, all shades; 35c value. Special..... **29c**
Mavis Toilet Water; \$1.25 value. Special **89c**

Smallwares

Snaps; regular value 10c each. Special..... **2 for 14c**
West Electric Curlers; 25c value. Special, each..... **20c**
Dean Tape Measure; 15c value..... **10c**
Queen Darners; 25c value. Special **19c**
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Stickie Braid; 15c pkg..... **10c**

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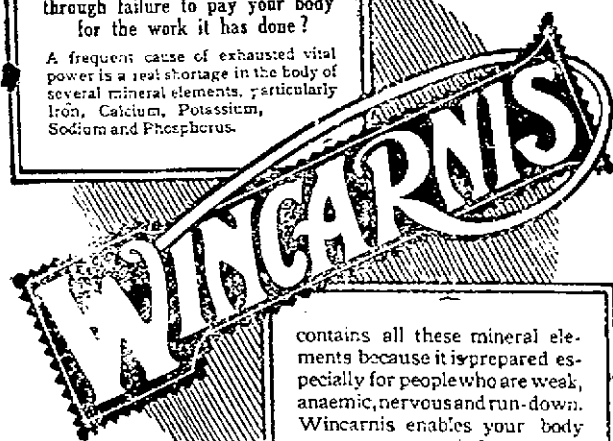
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ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

by Olive Roberts Barker

Next morning Nancy and Nick and Mr. Flippety-Flap slid down out of their mango tree and hunted up the Lion family.

"Good morning," said the fairman. "Have you breakfasted? And how is Lunny's toothache?"

"Good morning," grumbled Mr. Leo. "Yes, we've breakfasted on tough antelope and I am glad to say that Lunny's tooth is better, but if we keep on eating tough meat, none of us will have a tooth left. Don't happen to have a good tender-circus-steak along with you, do you, eh, Mr. Fairman?"

Flippety-Flap scratched his ear, then his nose, and then rubbed his chin. "I'm trying to think," said he, "but I forget."

"Why don't you look?" suggested Nancy.

"Of course," said Flippety-Flap. "That's the sensible thing to do. Mr. Lion, do you know this is the smartest young lady this side of the states, other side either. And her brother—really he's so smart he can tell you anything, how many crows in a corn field in January, or how many foxes Mr. Rabbit invited to his dinner-party, or anything like that."

All the while Flippety-Flap was rummaging in his enormous shoes. You've no idea how many things he could carry in them. It was worse than a schoolboy's pocket. There were stovetops, overshoes, a new spring hat for somebody, a dust-bun, a bunch of flowers, a doll, a hair-brush, a picture, an onion, a bottle of glue, a fishing rod, and what not. That was just a beginning.

By and by Mr. Lion began to sniff. "You're coming to it," he roared delightedly. "I smell it, but I can hardly believe my own nose."

It was true. Flippety-Flap laid out a fine large steak, and some other things—a see-saw, a ladder, and a huge ball. It was Mrs. Lion's turn to roar with delight.

(To Be Continued)

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Girls, there's no other way out—if you want to be really smart in your 1921 spring costumes you'll have to carry a swagger stick. France started them and the fashionable in England and America have definitely adopted them. They were the new feature of the annual fashion parade, pictured here, on the Atlantic City board walk Easter Sunday. Many were seen at other resorts and on Fifth avenue, New York.

that boasts of a constable and a suspicious character.

As a result trains come limping in hours late.

The railroad officials tolerated it for a time, but have announced that the dry enforcement gentlemen will have to find some new method of operating.

STARTS UP GRADE

Apple Says Railroad Business Has Touched Bottom

By ALBERT APPLE
Railroad freight traffic, which reflects general business conditions, has touched bottom and will not fall off further, says Thomas DeWitt Cuyler,

chairman of the Association of Railway Executives. Freight movement has improved decidedly in the last two weeks, he says. New York Central's office forces have gone on full time.

Number of cars loaded with freight in week ended March 12, latest reported, was 702,058. This was a recovery less than a year ago, but larger than same week in 1918.

Patient Gets Hungry

Very important is the wave of bullishness sweeping over country. Bradstreet's reports "less pessimism." Some authorities, noted for their gloom, "would not be surprised to see a sudden pickup." This spirit is bound to have good effect. May be something back of it.

Retail trade, nationally, is best in months. Good weather helped.

Big sale: France and Germany enter

the dead American copper market. They buy 10,000,000 pounds at 12½ cents a pound. Back of this is slow but steady improvement of world banking situation, bound to help our export trade.

Detroit reports 32,000 more employed than on January 1. Gradual improvement continues throughout automobile industry, with Studebaker running 75 per cent. nearest capacity. Revived auto sales are stimulating rubber industry.

Steel, the Harometer

Structural steel buying is now the heaviest in months. Means building activity. Steel industry as a whole is at 25 per cent. capacity. United States steel corporation last week operated 43 per cent. Trade belief is that Judge Gary wants to make good showing until end of present quarter, then will cut prices early in April. May be false alarm, but steel stagnation is largely due to high prices. United States Steel's new orders averaging enough to keep it going on one-third time.

Tig iron has fallen to \$25 a ton basis. Pre-war was \$10.25, highest in wartime was \$12.

Weather Varies

Bank clearings in week ended March 25 were 22 per cent. less than year ago, country over. Chicago and San Francisco made the best showing. New Orleans and Kansas City the worst. Chicago clearings cause cheer, that district having been hardest hit.

Depression is worst in ocean shipping. About 1700 ships idle.

Wheat exports last week, 4,654,566 bushels, against 10,110,282 bushels same week 1918. Corn exports 2,985,218 bushels, against 1,985,711 bushels same week 1918. May wheat during past week touched lowest price since 1916.

PRES. HARDING GETS

FIRST MONTH'S PAY

WASHINGTON, April 1.—President Harding yesterday received his first monthly pay cheque. It was for \$5520.84. Ordinarily the monthly cheque sent to the president by the treasury department is made out for \$6250, but Mr. Harding was "doctored" for the three and a half days that Woodrow Wilson served as president this month.

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BUILDING AT STANDSTILL

Stagnation Due to High Costs, Inefficiency of Labor and Labor Waste

BOSTON, March 31.—Responsibility for stagnation in building in this city was charged to high costs of building material, inefficiency of labor and labor waste due to union working rules and conditions, in the report today of a special committee of the Boston chamber of commerce.

This special committee held public hearings daily from Jan. 31 to Feb. 11 of this year.

"The faults and defects of labor, whether organized or unorganized, are usually patent and were detailed during this investigation," the committee said. "The faults and failures of the employer, or the building interests, and the material and equipment men, are not so apparent, and your committee regrets to report that inasmuch as it was handicapped by lack of authority to subpoena witnesses, place them under oath and summons books and records, it has been unable to make findings substantiated by evidence of excessive profits, artificial price fixing or illegal combinations."

"It is extremely doubtful if there is any tendency toward permanent deflation in building material prices, or that the downward price movement is to be long continued. It is possible that an active building campaign in 1921 may cause a rise in prices early in the spring, but the great demand which some material men look for this spring may fall short of expectations because the deadening influence of a business depression is so great that any large building program in 1921 seems hardly probable."

As an example bearing on the question of artificial price fixing, the committee referred to a printed card sent to the trade by a Boston firm on Jan. 11 announcing stabilization of prices for white lead, until July 1, and said there were in evidence "certain price lists called 'current retail prices of lumber, merchantable spruce,' printed on two pages, dated and apparently issued at frequent intervals without any marks of identification as to their source or place of origin."

"The prices of building materials and equipment in Boston are as high in most cases and in some cases higher than in the city of New York, where legislative investigation has resulted in disclosures leading to criminal indictments for illegal combinations and price fixing," says the report.

"The committee finds that in 1920 the material men made a higher net profit than ever before, in spite of the fact that they were doing business under the highest expense in their history."

"The average hourly rate of wages in 15 occupations of the building trades, was 96 cents in 1920 as compared with 50c in 1914, showing an increase of 92 per cent during the six year period."

"The inefficiency of labor," the report said, "arises largely from natural causes—a demand for all classes of labor in excess of the supply which sprang up during the war and continued thereafter. The condition was not peculiar to organized labor or to non-union labor. It was characteristic of almost everybody except the most patriotic and conscientious."

"The committee found that the production of labor at the end of 1920 was about 3-4 of what it was in pre-war times."

Sources and causes of labor waste, resulting from certain union working rules, practices, customs and policies, also were referred to at length. The committee found a lack of apprentices, and said that each side blamed the other for the condition.

In conclusion it suggested the possibility that the building interests and labor, now at odds with each other, might, at any time enter an agreement that would leave the public without proper consideration, and suggested that the public should have a voice in negotiations.

American Prisoners in Germany Freed

WASHINGTON, March 31.—The war department announced today that Carl Neuf and Franz Zimmer, Americans imprisoned in Germany for an attempt to kidnap Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, draft deserter, were released at noon today.

BRIEF BUT IMPORTANT WIRE DESPATCHES

SPRINGFIELD, March 31.—Methodists of this city, backed by the chamber of commerce, started a move today to obtain the support of the New England conference in an effort to have the general conference meet here in 1921.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—Major General Leonard Wood was authorized today to accept the invitation extended him by the Japanese government to visit that country after his visit to the Philippines.

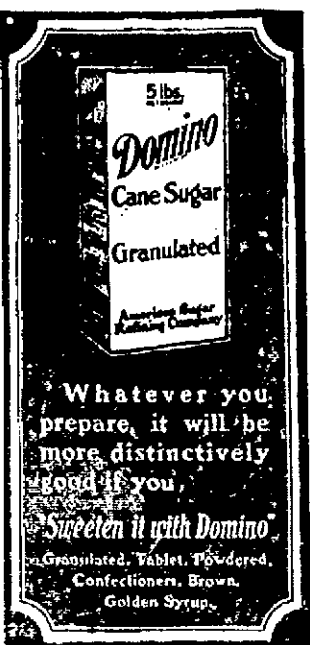
WASHINGTON, March 31.—Acting Secretary Roosevelt has started a personal inquiry into the flight of the naval free balloon from Pensacola, Fla., March 22, with five men aboard and has not since been heard from.

WOONSOCKET, R. I., March 31.—The social chamber of commerce, representing the French-Canadian section of this city, today filed a protest with the board of police commissioners against English-speaking policemen doing duty within that section.

HOLYOKE, March 31.—The enforcement of a wage reduction of 15 cents an hour by the building trade contractors here beginning tomorrow, threatens to precipitate a strike of between 1200 and 1500 workers.

NEW BEDFORD, March 31.—After startling the neighborhood by firing his revolver out of the window of his attic room at 426 Purchase street, early today, Antonio Oliveira Souza, 35, held seven policemen at bay for two hours, during which time more than 50 shots were exchanged. When the police finally battered down his door, Souza had been wounded in the wrist and also three fingers of his right hand were badly shattered.

The nickel cigar has made its reappearance in the loop district of Chicago.



DO-NOTHING CONGRESS

Last Congress Most Reactionary in History, Says A. F. of L. Committee

WASHINGTON, March 31.—The last congress was characterized as the "most reactionary of which the United States ever has been the victim," in a report by the legislative committee of the American Federation of Labor, made public today.

"It was a do-nothing congress except so far as reactionary results were concerned," the report said. "The entire program followed was to prevent the passage of any remedial legislation. In fact, any and every measure that had for its purpose the protection of the people, was either killed outright, died on the calendar, or was pigeon-holed by the committee."

Notwithstanding the number of bitter enemies of labor who were members of the 65th congress, the report said, friends of labor had succeeded in defeating a number of bills which would have endangered the interests of the workers and the people, among them the Polidexter anti-strike measure.

TO DISCUSS REDUCTION IN STREET CAR FARES

BOSTON, March 31.—The reduction in fares in all districts of the Eastern Massachusetts street railway, on May 2 will be discussed during the next few weeks by the public trustees of the road and the various home rule committees. It was announced today.

In a letter sent by the trustees to the committee inviting them to conferences, the first of which will be held at Brockton, next Friday, it was said: "The public trustees have announced a reduction in wages to conductors and motormen and miscellaneous employees, effective May 2, and intend to reduce fares in every district at the same time."

"Since the decline in the cost of living and consequent reduction in wages in other industries there has been widespread demand for lower fares in your district, among others on the Bay State system."

"We would like to confer with your committee as soon as possible and learn your views concerning how much fares can be reduced in the district you represent."

WOULD MAKE REWARD FOR BOMBERS \$50,000

NEW YORK, March 31.—An increase from \$10,000 to \$50,000 in the reward offered for apprehension of perpetrators of the explosion in Wall street, last September, was suggested by the committee of the whole of the board of estimate today.

Police department of justice agents throughout the country are searching for a man said to have been identified as the driver of the wagon which carried the destructive bomb into the financial district. A description of this man, who is said to be a well known anarchist has been sent to police throughout the country.

WORCESTER, March 31.—A strike of 8000 men engaged in the building trades in this city is expected tomorrow unless the Building Trades Employers' association rescinds an order it has issued reducing wages 20 per cent beginning tomorrow.

At a recent meeting of the Entomological Society of America a scientist stated he found a small tribe of Wene Lake Indians who caught and dried a ton and a half of caterpillars in a season for food.



The same soothing, healing properties that make Resinol Ointment so effective for eczema and many other skin eruptions also make it an ideal household remedy for Burns Wounds Chafings Cuts Sores Rashes and a score of other troubles which frequently arise in every home. This is why you should keep Resinol Ointment ready for instant use. Sold by all druggists, prescribed by doctors.

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IN THE POLICE COURT

Men Fined for Larceny Said They Were Protecting Complainant

Joseph Thibault and Samuel Bourro were each fined \$15 in the police court this morning, on charges of stealing from Alphonse Robillard \$50 in cash, a watch valued at \$40, a chain valued at \$5, and a locket valued at \$5. The testimony was to the effect that Robillard and the defendants were comrades in a drinking party, in the course of which Robillard lost consciousness and was relieved of his possessions. These were returned, however, after a complaint was made. The defendants claimed to have Robillard's welfare in view when they took charge of his valuables. On a previous occasion, they said, he had requested them to care for his things. A delay of four weeks was granted to enable them to pay their fine.

The case of George N. Parker, charged with drunkenness, was continued to April 6 at the request of counsel.

The case of Michelo Roberto came up on a continuance, and was again postponed to April 9 in order to allow counsel for the defendant to explain some circumstances of the matter to the court. Mrs. Roberto said that her husband had been paying her \$100 per month in accordance with the stipulation of the court. Armand J. Ricchiotto, an ex-soldier, charged with non-sup-

port, was declared defaulted today when he failed to appear in answer to non-support charges preferred at a previous hearing by his wife. Two weeks ago he was granted a continuance to see whether he would make provision for his wife and child. Today he failed to appear. His wife was absent, because of illness. There was one drunkenness release by Deputy Downey.

Juvenile Court

In the juvenile court this morning Walter Lessard got probation from the Shirley Industrial school, on conditions of restitution in the matter of two larceny counts. Ayres Maderros, 16, one of the innumerable didn't-know-it-was-loaded boys, had his case continued again to April 29. He is charged with unlawfully carrying a pistol in connection with the shooting of Peter Milenazzo, taken to the hospital with a bullet in his side after he had passed the spot where Maderros was tinkering with a 22-caliber pistol. One neglected child was committed to the care of the board of public welfare. Ambrose and Armand Millette, brothers, charged with larceny of cigars, cigarettes and similar articles from a store, had their cases placed on file.

"Confession" Letter Barred

Continued

\$10,000 a month and \$75,000 counsel fees.

The decision set forth that Mrs. Stillman had pleaded her recriminations in her case and that the banker's conduct and that both husband and wife were charged "founded upon an allegation of adultery."

"A husband or wife is not competent to testify against the other," on such

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Fowl, 4-lb. average, lb. 45c

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allegations, the decision said. The justice decided that the affidavits to which the letters were appended contained matters that Mr. Stillman could not testify to, and it was upon this ground that the communications were barred.

Justice Morschauser pointed out that his inhibition against admitting the alleged messages from Beauvais to Mrs. Stillman applied only to the motion under consideration and that they might be offered again in connection with later motions.

Bars "Confession" Letters

Referring to the alleged letter written to Mr. Stillman by his wife to the admission of which her attorneys objected, and which it was charged by counsel for the banker she wrote "in a moment of hysteria, implicating herself," the decision said:

"Communications and transactions between husband and wife were early recognized as privileged and neither could be compelled to disclose what took place between them and neither was a competent witness to testify as to such transactions or communications of a confidential nature or induced by the marital relation.

"From experience it was found that far less evil would result from the exclusion of such testimony than from its admission. It may in individual cases work hardship, but the destruction of confidence between a husband and wife would cause much misery and affect the marriage relation. This rule is founded upon sound public policy."

Referring to Mrs. Stillman's charge that her financial husband is the father of a 30-months old son born to Mrs. Florence H. Leeds, former musical revue girl, the decision said:

"The defendant has amended her answer and charges acts and conduct upon the plaintiff of similar character as charged by him against her and such acts are supported by affidavits of different persons.

Neither May Set Decree

"She does not seek a divorce but

pleads recrimination against the defendant as a defense. If the acts and conduct as charged against each other are sustained, neither will be entitled to a decree.

"If these charges are established the plaintiff and defendant will find themselves in the same position as before the commencement of the action, except that they will have had their day in court, or perhaps several days, as to matters affecting them and this means time, labor and expense."

Under both common law and the code of civil procedure, the decision declares, the rule against admitting confidential communications between a husband and wife, is applicable even after the marriage is terminated by divorce or by the death of the parties.

Quoted Judicial Opinion

In substantiation, Justice Morschauser quoted a judicial opinion saying that upon grounds of public policy, husband and wife were not permitted, even by consent, to give evidence for or against each other, or to testify, even after the ending of the marriage relations by death or divorce, to private communications which took place between them while it lasted.

The decision said it was a debatable question whether the letters alleged to have been written to Mrs. Stillman by the Indian guide, one of her husband's servants, should be received upon the plaintiff's affidavit, unaccompanied by other affidavits.

"Matters plaintiff cannot testify to on the trial, hearing on the merits, or special proceeding under Section 831 of the code of civil procedure," it read, "he should not be permitted to place in an affidavit on a motion of

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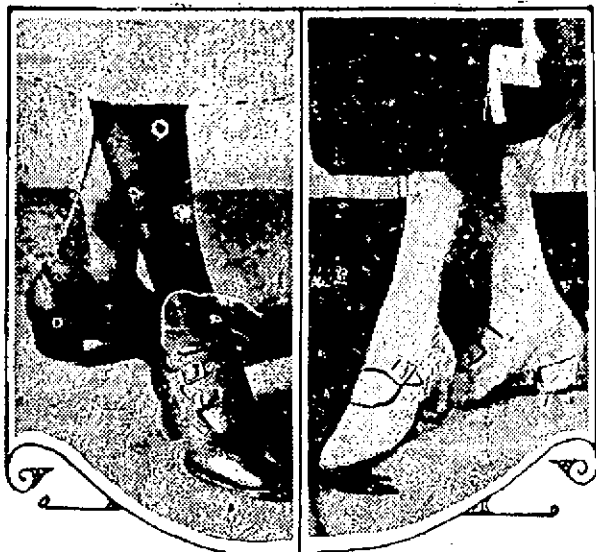
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Widow of Underworld King as "Unknown Star" Makes Good



CHICAGO, March 31.—A small insert pasted into the program of "Irene" at the Statebaker theatre informed those among the audience who took the trouble to read it that "Dale Winter" appears in the role of Irene O'Dare, replacing Helen Shipman.

Thus was the widow of "Big Jim" the Colosimo, the murdered king of the Chicago underworld, ushered into a theatrical stardom. The press agent, usually taking advantage of every possible straw to insure publicity for his show, breathed no word of the change in the cast.

Few in the audience recognized her. And so her triumph, which was complete, was not due to her circumstance that she was the heroine of the tragedy of revenge which made Big Jim Colosimo the victim of an assassin's bullet in the rooms above his famous cabaret in the Chicago tenderloin.

Miss Winter was in the cast only two nights, owing to a throat infection which confined Miss Shipman to her rooms. After her triumphal tryout in the leading role, she went to Cincinnati where she opened a two weeks' engagement in the same role.

It has, meantime, been spread abroad that Big Jim's widow scored "on her own" here, and when she returns to Chicago the spending crowd of cabaret frequenters plan to give her a demonstrative welcome.

Miss Winter sang for several years in the restaurant operated by the dead leader of the underworld. He had employed her when she was on the verge of starvation, encouraged her vocal ambitions, engaged a teacher for her from the Chicago Grand Opera company, and finally married her.

Miss Winter was born in Columbus, O., and was graduated from high school there.

DRY LAW ENFORCEMENT

Kramer Tells of Difficulties in Enforcing National Prohibition

WASHINGTON, April 1.—Difficulties in enforcing national prohibition include hostile public sentiment, lack of co-operation by the states, bootlegging on the borders and issuance of too many dealer's permits, according to John P. Kramer, federal prohibition commissioner.

What he termed as his "honest views" on prohibition were given by Mr. Kramer in a letter to Senator Capper of Kansas and made public yesterday by the latter. Commenting on charges that liquor was being sold openly by 323 New York saloons, Mr. Kramer detailed the problems of the "dry" forces and also suggested remedies.

"In view of all these conditions and circumstances," said Mr. Kramer, "I believe we have made remarkable progress during the year or more in which the national prohibition act has been in existence. We still have much work to do, and will have for years to come. You can't turn the current of history overnight. Anything that has fastened itself upon political, economic and personal history of our country as has the liquor traffic cannot be removed in a day or a year."

Mr. Kramer said that the Volstead law itself was sound, that he was not advocating any radical revision of the law by congress, and that enforcement problems largely were administrative. Too many permits for medicinal preparations containing alcohol were issued originally, Mr. Kramer said. These have been reduced and standards of medicating alcohol preparations raised. Permits for manufacturing industrial alcohol also are being curtailed and refused to those selling illegitimately.

Failures of the Law

Summing up, Mr. Kramer said he believed failures of enforcement during the past year were "due to the administration of the law more than they were to the law itself."

"In this respect," he said, "I am willing to assume my share of responsibility for these errors. In the beginning we issued entirely too many permits. Secondly, we made a mistake in placing the standard of medicinal preparations on too low a basis. We have had trouble also in selecting a force of agents who were at all times loyal. This does not apply to many, but to some."

Among recommendations made by the prohibition director to tighten up enforcement were: Removal of whiskey to a few large and well guarded warehouses; increase of prohibition agents on the Canadian and Mexican borders; enactment of prohibition codes by all the states.

"There are some uncertainties in the law (the Volstead act), but it has had hardly a thorough enough trial," Mr. Kramer wrote. "To warrant congress in making any radical changes at this time. Further, a number of questions now are in the courts and have not been passed upon by the supreme court."

Explains N. Y. Situation

To the specific charges that 323 saloons in New York are violating the law openly, Mr. Kramer wrote Senator Capper that "there are places in New York city where liquor is sold more or less openly, but in none as it was sold prior to prohibition."

The bulk of the people, Mr. Kramer



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Explained, must favor enforcement before substantial headway can be made, and this sentiment, he said, was largely absent in New York and some other communities.

Mr. Kramer said that while congress had been criticized for providing inadequate prohibition enforcement funds he was "disappointed" in the reduction of deficiency appropriations, which necessitated discharge of about 150 men.

"But I believe," Mr. Kramer continued, "that the appropriation made for the next fiscal year, \$7,500,000, is sufficient to enable the federal government to carry on the work which it is possible to do."

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The screen version of "Black Beauty" is all that the book was—and more. Every bit of the story has been told, and additional thrills have been interpolated. "Black Beauty" is a story of human beings, as well as of horses.

In the film version a thrilling and romantic drama has been woven about the human beings, and in many phases of this "Black Beauty" participates without being aware of its nature, and of the big part he is playing. The race scene, in which "Black Beauty" saves the day, provides one of the greatest screen thrills ever filmed.

Jean Paige, in the leading role of "Jessie Gordon," is a sweet, appealing heroine, and her portrayal will long be remembered in this unusual Vitagraph production.

What The New York Newspaper Critics Said About "Black Beauty"

"It is a far better product than the book itself, and it is probable that Anna Sewell would say as much. Must be considered as one of the fine pieces of motion picture work of the season. A picture play deserving of large patronage and long life."—New York Morning World.

"Charm and good taste—the production and direction team with them. 'Black Beauty' is the sort of wholesome entertainment that builds sturdy tissue in the interesting picture industry."—New York American.

"Right after two weeks' run of 'The Kid' the Strand Theatre presents this week 'Black Beauty'—another of the best pictures of the season. The picture is so refreshing in its atmosphere, so kind in its message and so clean in its purpose that it cannot fail to captivate the hearts of motion picture patrons."—New York Morning Telegraph.

"The presence of the various stable characters makes this picture one of the alluring novelties of the season. A very attractive production which, in the immortal words of any clothing advertisement, is 'fitted to customers of all ages.'"—New York Herald.

"It's a job to be proud of, I think, having made 'Black Beauty' into a picture which will please infant and adult, a job which so easily might have been badly done, but is not. At the Strand there were hosts of unnaturally quiet little boys marshalled in to see it. They thought it was 'great stuff.'"—New York Daily News.

"A picture that will attract thousands of animal lovers to the Strand this week. The film version of this tale follows the book closely."—New York Journal of Commerce.

"So skilfully has Vitagraph told this story on the screen that to many it will seem even better than the book itself."—New York Evening Telegram.

"As a picture it is indeed a novelty for which the producers deserve more than the usual credit."—New York Globe.

"On the silver sheet 'Black Beauty' is in many respects a remarkable picture. There are thrills aplenty likewise, the race for the train in the final scene being one of the best filmings of its kind the motion picture world has produced, with a succession of sensational riding feats. Jean Paige has an appealing beauty. She screens and plays extremely well. Her supporting cast is of the best."—New York Evening Mail.

"One of the unique offerings of the season is 'Black Beauty,' which atones for many a vampire-laden blight of the past. It's a relief to meet with actors who aren't always trying to register. Jean Paige leads the human battalion and does it as one to the manner and the saddle born."—New York Evening Sun.

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creasing the dose and not increasing as you have to do with so many Remedies. You can certainly use me as an endorser for CINOT.

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policy all along that physicians could Florida. This, he said, was a problem not prescribe malt liquors, but the re- for more men.

Every Saturday afternoon at the American post in Samoa, the civil prisoners are granted parole until six o'clock. Many of the prisoners are being sent to the island near Hawaii.

"SAFE ROADS WEEK"

Better Roads Campaign to Open Next Week

Mayor Harry D. Thompson today instituted a campaign to the people of Lowell to take part in the observance of "Safe Roads Week" next week, as one of the 40 cities in the commonwealth which have agreed to stage a campaign during that period. His statement in full was as follows:

"As one of forty cities of the state that have united with the Safe Roads federation of Massachusetts in observing the week of April 3 as 'Safe Roads Week,' Lowell stands in the front rank.

"As has already been announced by the state registrar of motor vehicles, Lowell led all cities of the commonwealth in the matter of motor vehicle safety during the winter months with no fatalities and only 27 persons injured during the month of December and January.

"Lowell people want the city to continue to show the way in the state in the matter of safe and sane automobile operation, and to this end have joined with other cities in their co-operative campaign in an effort to cut down the toll of highway accidents that were recorded in April of last year.

"Governor Cox, in making an appeal for an even wider observance, declares that the movement reflects the attention of the entire state, since hardly a community was unrepresented in the toll of 450 killed and 21,152 injured by motor vehicles during 1920.

"Our city has stood at the top of the list for safe driving during the last three months. Let us keep up the good work during April and make the first week free from all highway accidents. This calls for the co-operation of drivers of motor cars, adult pedestrians and children.

"Keep the children out of the street."

FUNDS FOR RECTORY

A campaign for the raising of funds for the erection of a rectory for the new French-Catholic church in Pawtucketville, was started last evening, when the Pawtucketville Social club, at its regular meeting, voted the sum of \$100 for the movement. Very Rev. E. J. Turcotte, O.M.I., head of the vice province of the Oblate order in this part of the country, and pastor of St. Joseph's Parish, was present at the meeting and he complimented the members of the club for their action.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, take this means of expressing our sincere thanks to all our neighbors, friends and relatives for their kindness and floral and spiritual bouquets during our recent bereavement in the death of our dear husband and father. Their kindness will be remembered by Mrs. A. Quinn and family.

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FUNERAL NOTICES

CLEMENT—Died in this city, March 20, suddenly, at his home, 22 Columbia avenue, Charles M. Clement. Funeral services will be held at Sunday afternoon, 2:30 o'clock, at the funeral home, 217 Appleton street, on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Friends are respectfully invited.

CHASE—Died March 30, in this city, Mrs. Sarah H. Chase, aged 82 years, 11 months and 25 days, at her home, 78 Bartlett street. Funeral services will be held at 7:30 Bartlett street Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Please omit flowers. Burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

HOWARTH—Died April 1st, in this city, Thomas Howarth, aged 52 years, 1 month and 10 days, at his home, 14 Rutland street. Funeral services will be held at 14 Rutland street, Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice. Burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

HANLON—Died in this city, March 31, at his late home, 630 Lawrence st., John Hanlon. Funeral will take place Saturday morning from his late home at 8 o'clock. At the Sacred Heart church at 9 o'clock a funeral mass will be celebrated. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Motor cortege. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

SMITH—The funeral of Mrs. Anne E. Smith will take place Saturday morning from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Joseph L. Cronin, 445 High street, at 8:15 o'clock. High mass of requiem will be sung at the Immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock. Interment will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements under the direction of Undertaker Peter H. Savage.

MCALLUM—Died in Worcester, March 7 months and 25 days. Funeral services will be held at his late residence, 18 Apple street, this city, Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

HANNON—The funeral of George W. Hannon will take place Saturday morning at 8 o'clock from his home, 36 Elm st., North Billerica. A solemn high funeral mass will be sung at St. Andrew's church, North Billerica at 9 o'clock. The burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

LOWE—The funeral of Patrick F. Lowe will take place Saturday morning at 8 o'clock from his home, 201 Middlesex st., North Chelmsford. A funeral high mass will be sung at St. John's church, North Chelmsford, at nine o'clock. The burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

PEREIRA—Died April 1st, Conceição Pereira, aged 5 months. Funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of her parents, Anthony and Filomena Pereira, 39 Frisco street. Services will be held at St. Anthony's church at 2:30 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery, under charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough & Sons.

AZEREDO—Died April 1st, Diamantino Azeredo, age 1 year, 4 months. Funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of his parents, Jose and Laura Azeredo, 109 Charles street. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements will be under the direction of Undertakers M. H. McDonough & Sons.

MCARTHY—The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth McCarthy will take place Monday morning at 8:15 o'clock from the home of her son, Frederick, 72 Stanley street. High mass of requiem at St. Michael's church at 9 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

War Prices Are Gone On Clothing

Still You Wouldn't Think So

Judging From the Prices

Quoted at Some Stores

The war is over! Of course that's not news for you, but for fear that some might be led to believe, judging from the war-time prices quoted in some of the stores, that the world cannot be still in progress, we take the liberty and risk of again announcing the ceasing of hostilities.

The Merrimack Clothing company, Lowell's most dependable headquarters for men's, women's and boys' merchandise was the very first concern in New England to realize the necessity of a downward revision in prices for clothing and that store still holds the lead. If you want to be convinced look in the goods on display, and compare the prices, as well as the quality and fit, with any other store in town. Men's suits from \$35 and up, women's suits from \$15 and up, and boys' suits from \$5 and up. And in this array may be found the products of the very biggest and best manufacturers in the world, the kind that carry full guarantee with every purchase.

Remember the war is over! Don't pay war prices, especially for clothing! Go to the Merrimack Clothing Co. and get 100 products at reasonable figures and benefit by the guarantee that goes with every article sold. See our window display.—Adv.

DEATHS

MCALLUM—Died April 1st, in this city, Thomas McCallum, of 18 Apple street, this city, died yesterday in Worcester, aged 33 years. He leaves his wife, Georgina, McCallum. The body was brought today to the rooms of Undertaker George W. Healey, 235 Westford street.

BERRY—Michael Berry, aged 46 years and 7 months, died yesterday at the state infirmary, Tewksbury. He is survived by a sister, Mrs. Mary Walsh of Newark, N. J. The body was taken to the chapel of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

JACQUES—Arthur Jacques, son of Alphonse and Stephanie (Lesage) Jacques, died yesterday afternoon at the home of his parents, 37 Ford street, aged 3 months and 11 days.

HOWARTH—Died April 1st, in this city, Thomas Howarth, aged 52 years, 1 month and 10 days, at his home, 14 Rutland street. He is survived by four sons, Emanuel, of Pawtucket, R. I., John H., of Norwich, Conn., J. Albert and Arthur J. Howarth, both of this city and one daughter, Mrs. Jerome E. Seale, also of this city. Mr. Howarth was a member of Post 135, G.A.R.

FITZGERALD—Mrs. Mary Fitzgerald died today at her home, 492 Gorham st. She was 50 years old.

MCARTHY—Mrs. Elizabeth McCarthy, a well known resident of Centralville and a devout and constant attendant of St. Michael's church, died last night at the home of her son, 72 Stanley street, after a long illness. She is survived by one son, Frederick, 3 grandchildren, and several nephews and nieces.

Gates to the White House grounds were opened under the first order issued by Warren G. Harding as president of the United States. They have been closed to the public since early in 1917 when the United States severed relations with Germany.

DID YOU GET STUNG?

Kiddoes on the Job Bright and Early

Today is All Fools' day, and the joker—practical and otherwise—has been abroad in the land in Lowell.

The small boy and his sister were early on the job of "fooling" people in many homes. In most of the jokes lacked originality they were nevertheless enjoyed with zest.

"Where'd yer get the black smooch on your nose?" asked the alert youngster of his pa, at the breakfast table, and as pa hustled for the looking glass to wipe the offending spot away there was the usual hilarious shout of "April fool!" Sister told ma she had a hole in her apron, and then gleefully laughed as ma exhibited signs of consternation.

Out on the streets the kids were up to all sorts of capers. To place a piece of string across a sidewalk and then wait for some dignified citizen to come along and unexpectedly catch it under the nose while his hat went flying in the air, was a popular pastime.

The sign "Kick me" was attached to the back of more than one coat, and the wearers then wondered why people turned their heads to look at them and smiled broadly as they passed down the street.

The usual bunch of youngsters hidden behind a fence snickered audibly as persons who had forgotten the date attempted to kick innocent-appearing packages containing bricks from their way on the sidewalks.

The citizen, who had his dreams of good fortune rudely dispelled, as he stooped over to pick up a lost pocket-book that was quickly whisked out of sight by a string with a boy on the end, was in evidence.

Near one of the mills was a large packing box, with the open top covered with wire netting. It bore the sign "Please Do Not Annoy the Animals." Many persons stopped to catch a glimpse of the animals. They were greeted with a loud guffaw from a hidden audience. Most of those who were "fooled" in this way joined the group of onlookers to see others get caught in the trap. The animals were a couple of bricks.

"Want the time of your life?" asked one Antioch of another as they stood talking on Merrimack street. "Yep," was the answer. "Take a ride over First street."

In the middle of the forenoon a hatless individual rushed around the cor-

ner of Central street into Merrimack square. "Where's the nearest fire alarm box?" he inquired breathlessly. A small crowd gathered more intent on finding out where the blaze was located than in pointing out the box.

"Where is—where is it?" they de-

manded. "Over in the Massachusetts mills, in the boiler room," was the answer.

In the early morning someone attached a large sheet of paper to one of the cars running through Middlesex street. On it was scribbled, "One-man

car—also room for a small child." The yarn was started in the Highlands that the squirrels had eaten up a vacant house in Tyler park. Some believed it until reminded of the day. The policemen and firemen played their usual jokes on each other.

APRIL FOOL—By Berton Braley

When the Spring comes in with its leaf and bud
A sort of enchantment stirs my blood
And my heart beats faster, my step is lighter
My eyes grow bright as the sun gets brighter,
I want to dance and I want to sing
With the glorious foolishness of Spring,
I'm glad as a youngster free from school—
A regular April Fool!

Oh, an April Fool has a gorgeous time,
He greets the world with a grin sublime
For the Spring has come and the Winter's gone
And the baseball season is coming on,
And golf and tennis and fishing, too;

And winds are gentle and skies are blue,
And these are magical charms which rule
The heart of an April Fool!

If you're not one of the folks who thrill
When Spring comes dancing o'er vale and hill,
If April freezes don't fill your brain
With quirks and whimsies you can't explain;
If you're calm, collected and placid, too,
Not one bit foolish—the more fool you!
For it proves you're old and your blood is cool
When you can't break loose from your humdrum rule,
And though our folly you ridicule
It's you, it's you and the April Fool—
The silly old April Fool!

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FUNERALS

COLEMAN—The funeral of Patrick Coleman took place this morning at 9:30 o'clock from his home, 54 Fremont st. and was largely attended, including many relatives and friends from out-of-town. The cortege proceeded to St. Michael's church where at 10 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. James J. Heagerty, assisted by Rev. Thomas J. Heagerty, deacon and Rev. John J. Shaw as sub-deacon. The choir, under the direction of Mr. Thomas J. Heagerty, sang the Gregorian chant, the solo of the mass being sustained by Mr. Boulger and Miss Griffin. Mrs. Ella Reilly Tove presiding at the organ. The bearers were Messrs. Joseph and John Kotter of Boston, William Crowley, John Parker, Robert Haffey and Thomas Monahan. There was a profusion of spiritual and floral offerings. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

ROSS—The funeral services of Dr. Percy H. Ross took place yesterday afternoon at the rooms of Undertaker W. Herbert Blake, Rev. C. E. Fisher, D. D., pastor of the First Universalist church, officiated. Mrs. F. L. Roberts and Miss Etta Thompson sang appropriate selections. The flowers were numerous. Burial was in the family lot in Westland cemetery, where the burial service was read by Rev. Dr. Fisher.

SUNBURY—The funeral services of William H. Sunbury took place yesterday afternoon at his home, 25 Crescent street. Rev. George F. Sturtevant officiated. The bearers were George Foster, Dr. H. H. Sumner, Alden Holmes and George Hunt. Burial was in the Tewksbury Centre cemetery, in charge of Undertaker H. Louis Farmer.

CAIRO—Mrs. Kate E. Carice, formerly Mrs. Daniel H. Gordon of Lowell, died in Brooklyn, N. Y., March 28, aged 78 years. Burial was in the family lot in the Edison cemetery yesterday. The local arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Hiram C. Brown.

BROWN—The funeral services of Edward L. Brown were held yesterday afternoon at his home, 25 Crescent street. Rev. Elmer E. West, pastor of the Chelmsford Street Free Baptist church, officiated. There was appropriate singing by Mrs. Lawrence Jordan. The flowers were numerous. The bearers were Charles W. Johnson, Carl A. Bishop, Edwin P. Dickson, Carl Lundgren, John W. Reed and Elmer Goodwin. Burial took place in the family lot in Hildreth cemetery, where the burial service was read by Rev. Mr. West. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

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Fancy Genuine Leg Lamb, lb. 30c

FANCY SMALL FOWL, 35c Lb. FRESH CUT VEAL CHOPS, 25c Lb.

GREEN MOUNTAIN POTATOES, Pk. 25c GENUINE LAMB TO ROAST, No Bone, Lb. 25c

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SUNKIST ORANGES, Doz. 24c BUDDED WALNUTS, Lb. 19c

SUNKIST LEMONS, Doz. 20c PEARL TAPIOCA, Lb. 12c

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Fresh Asparagus, Spinach, Dandelions, Green Beans, Lettuce, Strawberries and Tomatoes

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APRIL 2nd,

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BERNARD F. GATELY, Trustee.

21 Persons Lost When Liner Sank

Allies Send Ultimatum to Hungary

WOULD PROVE DISASTROUS

Allies Will Not Tolerate
Restoration of the Haps-
burg Dynasty

Plan Blockade of Hungary—
Former Ruler Wants to
Issue Proclamation

STEINAMANGER, Western Hun-
gary, April 1.—(11 a. m.) (By the
Associated Press)—Former Emper-
or Charles declared here today that
his departure from Hungary would
be conditioned upon permission to
issue a proclamation to the Mag-
yars explaining the "unfavorable
circumstances" compelling his with-
drawal.

DARING COUP BY SINN FEINERS

Rescued Prisoner Despite
Fact That Fully Armed
Guard Was On Duty

Sinn Feiners Took all the
Rifles and Ammunition of
the Guards

BELFAST, April 1.—(By the As-
sociated Press)—The mystery of
the two blood-stained motor cars
found by a police patrol Wednes-
day night at Rockcorry, near Bally-
bay, County Monaghan, was ex-
plained today when it was discov-
ered the vehicles played a part in
the most sensational coup thus far
engineered by Sinn Feiners in south
Ulster.

Last evening a Sinn Fein pris-
oner, Matthew Fitzpatrick, who was
under treatment in the Monaghan
infirmary, was removed by friends
despite the fact that a fully armed
military guard had been placed in
the infirmary to prevent his escape.
His friends took all the rifles and
ammunition of the guards. One of
the Sinn Feiners was wounded, the
wound accounted for the blood on
the cars.

LOWELL CHARTER BILL IN HOUSE

(Special to The Sun).
BOSTON, April 1.—The Lowell char-
ter bill passed its third reading in the
house of representatives today without
debate. The bill has already been passed
by the senate. The amendments which were added
to the bill in the senate will permit
members of boards and commissions
now having definite tenure of office to
serve out their present terms and they
will then be subject to the provisions
of the new charter. HOYT.

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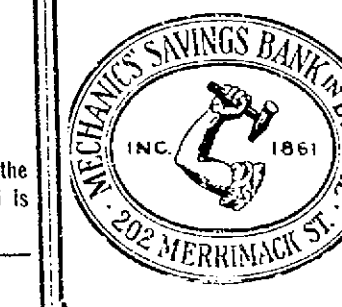
Which is open for business now
at 455 Middlesex St., opposite
the railroad station, with a full
line of Home Made Candies,
Pastry and Fancy Boxes of
Chocolates and Ice Cream.

Hot Coffee served at all hours.
Everything is made by

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Watch for Saturday Specials

Interest Begins April 2nd



ELECTRICIAN EXAMINATION

APRIL 10, 1921

Men who are to take the ex-
amination for Journeyman or
Master Electrician will find it to
their advantage to take a pre-
liminary test given in two lessons
by a practical instructor of 16
years' experience. Arrange to see
me Saturday, April 2, 1:10 p. m.,
at Associate Building, Room 22,
4th floor. Ask for Mr. Kenzie.

TO HELP NEEDY IN IRELAND

Local Organizations Plan to
Launch Campaign to Raise
\$45,000

Irish, Jewish, French and
Greek Representatives
Meet in Elks' Hall

In an effort to perfect preliminary
plans for the launching in this city
of a campaign to raise \$45,000 for
the relief of the needy in Ireland, rep-
resentatives from Irish, Jewish, French
and Greek social and fraternal organi-
zations met last evening in Elks' hall,
Middle street, and heard Major Ed-
ward Sampson of the governor's coun-
cil, field director of the drive, tell of
the need for funds in Ireland and what
steps Lowell might take to assist.

It was pointed out that the campaign
will be conducted upon purely non-sec-
tarian, non-partisan lines. The object
is wholly one of mercy for the women
and children of Ireland who are suffer-
ing and the funds will be used directly
through the American commission on
Irish relief. Homes and industries
which have been destroyed by warfare
will be rebuilt, it was explained.
Major Sampson was introduced by
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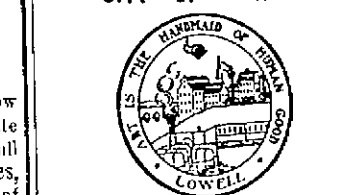
EXERCISES AT KEITH'S

High School Students Ob-
serve Lowell Day With
Excellent Program

Lowell day was appropriately ob-
served by students of the Lowell high
school at Keith's theatre this morning
with Mayor Perry D. Thompson deliv-
ering an entertaining and instructive
address on the significance of the oc-
casion and present day educational op-
portunities for Lowell young men and
women.

Headmaster Henry H. Harris was in
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CITY OF LOWELL



TAXPAYERS' NOTICE

All persons, firms and corporations,
subject to taxation in the City of
Lowell, are hereby notified and re-
quired to bring in to the assessors of
said city, on or before 4 o'clock p. m.
Monday, May 16, 1921, true lists of polls,
personal and real estate, not exempt
from taxation, of which they were pos-
sessed on the first day of April of the
current year.

Blanks furnished on application.
Every male inhabitant of the city,
above the age of twenty years, whether
a citizen of the United States or an
alien, shall be assessed a poll tax of
five dollars (\$5.00) for the years 1920,
1921, 1922, 1923, as per Chapter 253,
section 10, Acts of 1915, with exemp-
tions allowed as per statute.

As per amendment to Chapter 51,
General Laws, all women twenty years
of age and over, are required to be
listed in the year 1921 and thereafter,
in the same manner and with the same
details of information as is required
in listing males, but there is no pro-
vision for assessing a poll tax to wom-
en.

JEREMIAH J. O'SULLIVAN,
ALBERT J. BLAZON,
DANIEL E. HOGAN,
Assessors of Lowell.

CANDY

Special for Saturday—
NELSON'S Best Mixture
of Chocolates, Caramels
and Bon Bons, with fruit
and nut centers.

80c Lb.

THREE STORES
69 Merrimack St.
109 Central St.
339 Middlesex St.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 1.—
Twenty-one persons, including 18
passengers and three members of
the crew of the Admiral Line steam-
ship Governor, may have lost their
lives when the liner sank off Point
Wilson, Wash., early today, after
she had been rammed and sunk by
the shipping board steamer West
Hartland.

A check up of the survivors ar-
riving here on the West Hartland
disclosed that 19 persons carried
on the passenger and crew lists
of the Governor were not accounted
for.

LOWELL HAS ANNIVERSARY

Today Marks 85th Anni-
versary of Incorporation
of the City

"Lowell Day" Exercises in
Local Schools—No Essay
Contest This Year

Today was the 85th anniversary of
the incorporation of the city of Low-
ell and the event was observed in the
local schools with appropriate exer-
cises. It was just 85 years ago today
that the act incorporating Lowell as
a municipality was signed by the gov-
ernor and for the past few years April
1 has been officially set aside as
"Lowell day."

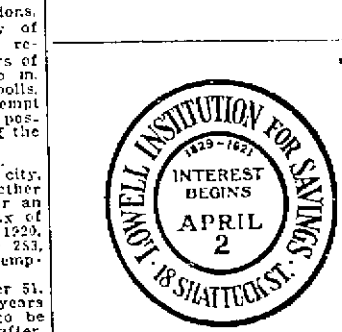
Today's exercises were a little less
pretentious than in previous years. The
absence of the chamber of commerce
essay competition this year eliminated
one feature, the awarding of medals
to the essay contest winners in each
school. However, the programs as
carried out in the various schools were
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THE LOWELL FIVE CENT SAVINGS BANK

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BEGINS
SATURDAY
APRIL 2, 1921

THE LOWELL FIVE CENT SAVINGS BANK



KASINO SATURDAY NIGHT

You Are Bound to Have a Good Time With
Eddie Schell and His Boston Jazz Band
STANDARD PRICE, 30¢—TAX PAID

Follow the Crowd to
LINCOLN HALL TONIGHT
Three Wounded War Veterans
Campbell's Orchestra. Tickets 35¢, Including War Tax

Boxing and Wrestling Meet

FRIDAY, APRIL 1st, 8 O'CLOCK
Sacred Heart Club Admission Free

\$7500 a Month for Mrs. Stillman

LOCAL LIQUOR REVENUE

Fines Imposed in Police
Court Help to Swell City
Treasury

The total amount of fines in liquor
cases collected here during the quarter
of Jan. 1-Mar. 31, was \$3801.65 for
the municipality of Lowell. Nearly this
entire sum goes into the city coffers
as the result of penalties imposed by
Judge Enright upon those who have
trafficked in the forbidden wet goods.
The fines collected since the first of
the year, will be turned over today to
the city treasurers of Lowell and the
surrounding towns. The total accrued
moneys reach \$4533.34, with Lowell get-
ting the aforementioned \$3801.65. Of
the remainder, Chelmsford will obtain
the highest sum, receiving \$255.65. Dra-
cut comes next on the list, with \$199.
The Draut police department has been
active in tracing illicit distilling activi-
ties. Tyngsboro will get \$132, while
Billerica trails, with \$50. The com-
monwealth, as the result of prosecu-
tions by various state agents, will ben-
efit to the amount of \$165.

MARCH BEHIND APRIL BEFORE US

If ever one has Hope and should
see White, it is when he finds him-
self on April 1, "Still Going." Live
through March and you'll live a year,
is an old saying and thus far in
our young life this saying has al-
ways proved true. The Glorious
Spring is here. Nature now puts
forth every effort to Produce. So
should Man. WORK. That's the
Word. That's the key to all that's
worth living for. As for work,
SAVE something from your Earn-
ings. The Little added to the Little
every Little while, soon, very soon,
makes the Wondrous Pile.

TODAY is the DAY that Interest
Begins.

EVERY DAY the DAY to carry
the Saving Habit.

EVERY DAY add a Little to the
Little.

SOME DAY that Little will read
BIG.

MIDDLESEX SAFE DEPOSIT AND TRUST CO.

Merrimack Corner Palmer St.
The Bank That Has No Closing
Saturdays.

\$673,779.94

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Rate 5%
Deposits Go On Interest
Next Week

CITY INSTITUTION FOR SAVINGS

174 CENTRAL STREET

Interest Begins Tomorrow, at
The Central Savings Bank.

VIVIANI MEETS SEN. LODGE

Former French Premier and
Bay State Senator in Con-
ference at Capital

France Opposes Knox Reso-
lution to Terminate State
of War

WASHINGTON, April 1.—Former
Premier Viviani of France conferred
today with Senator Lodge at the lat-
ter's home, and it was understood that
the mission of the French envoy was
discussed at length. The conference
followed a dinner at the French em-
bassy last night at which several sen-
ators, including Mr. Lodge, were pres-
ent and where the general import of
Mr. Viviani's visit was developed.

In addition to seeking the moral sup-
port of the United States for France,
senators who have conferred with
members of the French mission said
today that they had a definite impres-
sion of French opposition to adoption
of the Knox resolution to terminate
the state of war with Ger-
many. Although it was said that Mr.
Viviani and his associates were not to
be understood as attempting to inter-
fere with this nation's foreign policy,
they are understood to view with con-
cern any move in the United States
which might weaken Germany in op-
posing the allies' reparations policy.

"The Viviani mission also was said
today to seek American co-operation
in various other ways.
Mr. Viviani is prepared to invite an
American agricultural mission to
France and such an invitation may be
officially here next week.

Republican senators favoring adop-
tion of the Knox resolution said the
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Three Shot In Boston Gun Battle

BOSTON, April 1.—A fishermen's quarrel at the Eastern Packet
Pier today developed into a revolver battle in which three men were shot.
The uninjured ones escaped in a power boat after a chase across the
harbor by police boats. Those wounded included Leonardi Suterio, whose
condition was described as critical, and two others whose wounds were
slight. The dispute was said to have had to do with the sale of a
cargo of fish.

CITY OF LOWELL Warning

Assistant Assessors will call at every house to obtain the
following information for listing of names in the city, both males
and females, 20 years of age and over.

NAME
AGE
OCCUPATION
RESIDENCE APRIL 1st, 1921.....
RESIDENCE APRIL 1st, 1920.....

Was the Man in The United States Army or Navy in the
World War?

This information should be left with some one in the house
for the Assistant Assessor when he calls.

The listing begins April 1st.

JEREMIAH J. O'SULLIVAN } Assessors
ALBERT J. BLAZON } of
DANIEL E. HOGAN } Lowell

TONIGHT—ASSOCIATE HALL CONCERT and DANCE

Broadway Social and Athletic Association
Miner-Doyle's Orchestra. Tickets (Including War Tax) 50¢

ASSOCIATE HALL — Every Saturday Night

CAMPBELL'S 10 PIECE ORCHESTRA
WITH "ROUNDIE"
Continuous Dancing 8 to 11.30
ADMISSION 35¢, TAX PAID

VICTROLA RECORDS FOR APRIL OUT TODAY



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TODAY INTEREST BEGINS IN SAVINGS DEPARTMENT

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Federal Reserve System, and is
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Dancing Tonight PRIMROSE BANJO ORCH. Grange Hall, Draut Admission 35¢, Tax Paid



ROCKEFELLER CHILDREN

The five sons of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., were snapped Easter Sunday as they walked along Fifth avenue, New York, after attending services at the Fifth Avenue Baptist Church. Accompanying them, a governess.

PRES. HARDING BEGINS R. R. DIAGNOSIS

WASHINGTON, April 1.—President Harding began his diagnosis of the railroad situation today by consultation with the two government agencies that have kept closest watch over the pulse of the nation's transportation system during the after-war period of readjustment.

For more than two hours the president was closeted with Chairman Clark of the Interstate Commerce Commission, and Chairman Barton of the railroad labor board, in a conference designed to provide precise data on every angle of the railroad problem. The executive asked not only for information, but for frank opinions of how serious the condition of the carriers really is, and what remedies can be applied with greatest promise of results.

Other conferences, at which railroad managers and employees can present directly their recommendations, are expected to follow, but it was said at the White House last night that definite dates for these consultations had not yet been fixed.

Details of the conference between Mr. Harding and the two chairmen were not revealed, but it was indicated that there was no disposition to attempt a decision on any specific subject.

The information laid before the chief executive is understood to have included detailed figures on the recent earnings of the carriers, whose executives have painted a black picture of the prospect unless government relief is given. At the same time the conference had before it the petitions of shippers for lower freight rates, to permit them to compete with foreign goods

in American markets, and the pleas of the railroad employees against any reduction in wages.

IN PARISH HOUSE Musical By Men's Club of Grace Church

A musicale of a most charming nature was given last evening by the Men's Club of Grace church in the auditorium of the parish house. The artists, Anna Eichhorn, violin, Carl Webster, cello, and Alfred Holy, harpist, comprising the "players," Alice Longman, reader; and Cora Gooch Brooks, piano. Mr. Holy, a member of the Boston Symphony orchestra, in which organization he is first harpist, played a "romance" of his own composition, together with Spindler's "The Forest Brook." Miss Eichhorn's solo selections included: Kreisler's "Rondino," Saint-Saens' "The Swan," and Mendelssohn's "Fairy Legend," together with "The Fairy Tale" as an encore. Three selections were offered by Mr. Webster: the "Taran-tella" of Crossman, Poppers' "Ari-quin," and the "Indian Lament" of Dvorak. Miss Longman recited Edward Markham's eulogy of Lincoln, and also read several pleasant humorous numbers. Miss Brookings accompanied the soloists with understanding. Two groups were played by a trio, "Legends" by Zimmerman, "By the Brook" by Buisson, and Pizenza's "March of the Tin Soldiers" comprising the first; and the second consisting of Mozart's "Mennett" and Rubenstein's "Heve Angelique." Following the concert there was dancing with Gray's orchestra.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

By Theatres' Own Press Agents
B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE
Dancing is a fine art as demonstrated by Tim and Kitty O'Meara, at the B. F. Keith theatre, this week. No doubt about it. The twain in a real dancing production, encompassing the dance from the days of the minuet to the present time. A. Robins, the marvelous imitator of the sounds of musical instruments, in singing and talking, Bobby Folson, in her inimitable "Story Songs," Marguerite and Perez, novelty jugglers, and The Sternards, xylophonists.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE
An absorbing story of how a frivolous, money-loving girl, blind to the inner things of life, is regenerated through a hard struggle in a park and who awakens her maternal instinct, is told in the George Fitzmaurice production, "Playing the Piper," the feature of the current program at the Merrimack Square theatre. It is the sort of story that interests all classes because it deals with the real, basic things of life. An excellent cast, including John T. Todd, George Fawcett, and Dorothy Dickson, is featured. The other attraction for the week-end is "The Easy Chair," starring Thomas L. Bigham. A comedy and the international "News" round out the bill.

OPERA HOUSE
If you have a weak heart don't attend the Opera House this week. If you plan on seeing "The Mad Girl," come prepared to laugh yourself tired, and hold tight to your seat or you'll slip out and not realize it. The Lowell Players have given us many good laughs in the past, but their efforts this week, outlining all former endeavors by a wide margin. See Miss Fields as the mischievous "Mabel," and Milton Byron as the disheveled young husband. It's a scream from first to last.

For next week the management will present Miles Field in her biggest emotional role of her stage career, "Madame X." Don't fail to catch her and the rest in this gripping, thrilling, masterful stage creation.

THE STRAND
Tomorrow, Saturday, a morning matinee will be held at 11:30 o'clock for the children of the city who are anxious to see the great Maurice Tourneur super-production, "The County Fair." The price of admission will be 10 cents tax paid. The youngsters of Lowell should certainly avail themselves of seeing this picture story, for it has their favorite, Wesley (Freddie) Barry in one of the principal characters. Boys you want to see him in "The County Fair" and the happy pole contest. And you know he has a girl that is won from him for a time, but he certainly wins her back in grand style. Then the picture goes back to the great stage when he goes off with Gold Malvest, and lots of other good things to see. Besides "The County Fair," there is also "Nevak" in "The Torment" as well as a comedy and Weekly. A band concert will be held in the theatre lobby this afternoon and Saturday, and perhaps of the city will be the subject of the management at the Saturday morning matinee.

REALTY THEATRE
A program full of action and interest is the offering of the Realty theatre this week-end. In it are made a new movie star in the person of William F. Hanks, well known on the legitimate stage, who is making his debut as a screen hero. Fairly he has a role that places him in a class by himself. The other attractions of this program include "Lost," "The Price of a Woman," and a comedy, "You're So Serious." The girls' parade of "Fighting Irish" and the boys' "Doubtful to see this program."

Holding a lot of low or plate over white spots in variegated furniture will soon make the spots disappear.

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NEW SUITS

A special purchase of a New York manufacturer's suit stock, all made to order for the better stores, and owing to late delivery were cancelled.

We Selected the Styles We Wanted

and got them at a big reduction. On sale at

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Wonderful values. These are the smartest, youthful styles of the season, in all sizes, 16 to 44.

SPORT COATS and WRAPS

Polo Coats, Sport Coats and Wraps, all silk lined, all well tailored, in a big assortment of styles. These are a special purchase we made in New York, and are the most wanted styles. These are exceptional values for Saturday selling.

\$25

Girls' Coats

We were able to secure some Smart All Wood Polo Coats that are the most wanted for girls. In Polo mixtures, trimmed with leather belts and self belts, half lined and full lined, all sizes 6 to 16 years. On sale Saturday morning.

\$9.98, \$12.50, \$14.95

SILK DRESSES - - \$25

One hundred wonderful dresses at this price will be on sale Saturday, including Canton Crepe, Crepe de Chine, Taffeta, Georgette, Crepe Metcor and man-tailored Tricolette, in all sizes. These are all dresses of the better quality and worth \$10 to \$15 more.

LOWELL'S LEADING DRESS SHOP

GIRLS' GINGHAM DRESSES

We have some exceptional values in Lotta Wear Dresses in check and plaid ginghams, in a large variety of styles, in all sizes and exceptional smart styles. These are all made as good dresses should be, made with plenty of fullness and perfect fitting. Sizes 6 to 16 years. The best values of the season.

\$1.98, \$2.98, \$3.98

NEW WAISTS

Over one thousand new Spring Waists, hand-made Porto Rico Waists, French Voile Waists, with real flat lace and lace frills and tailored styles, also real venice trimmed voiles in a large assortment of styles. The largest line of fine Waists in Lowell. We have never shown better Waists at these prices, even in pre-war days.

\$1.98, \$2.98

COULDN'T HIDE STILL AND WOULDN'T KEEP STILL

Enraged when parts of a still, which she had concealed about her person, dropped to the floor from beneath her skirt, the wife of Joseph Smith, of Pelham Centre, N. H., resorted to the bitting and scratching of the town constable, who had been in search of evidence in her effort to retrieve the still, from the floor, she instantly gave

the struggle for possession of the house-manufacturing gear was proceeding merrily. Mr. Smith was also proceeding merrily. In the direction of freedom, his wife having communicated to him a warning when the officers put in an appearance. Joseph Wozniak, whose domestic was also visited with fruitful results, was another who made his getaway when the tip was passed to him that the representatives of the law were awaiting him on his own hearthstone. Arthur H. Peabody and Asa A. Carleton, constable, who had been in search of evidence in her effort to retrieve the still, from the floor, she instantly gave

homes. Liquor and mash and parts of a still were revealed at the former place, while a gallon of moonshine was unearthed at the Wozniak residence. The officers of the law, when they entered Smith's abode, were unable to locate Smith, as his wife had spotted the invaders and sounded a warning which caused him to take to his heels. The woman herself was discovered standing with strange fixity in a bedroom. In spite of her antipathy for locomotion, she was compelled to move around a bit, and the pull of her stillness proved the first of her still. When the "worm" and other unmistakable sections had fallen to the floor, she instantly gave



William D. BROWN
The Veteran Co-Operative Bank Treasurer Will Now Devote All of His Time to the
Middlesex Co-Operative Bank

Mr. Brown has been treasurer of the Lowell and Middlesex Co-operative Banks for many years.

Both of these banks have occupied quarters together for a long time, but the business of the MIDDLESEX BANK has grown to such an extent that the directors decided it was advisable to have rooms for this bank exclusively.

These rooms are now being fitted up on the top floor of the CENTRAL BLOCK and this bank is now OPEN FOR BUSINESS, although some of the fixtures have not arrived.

Self-Service Grocery Store

FULL LINE OF NATIONAL BISCUIT COMPANY QUALITY GOODS IN PACKAGES AT LOWEST PRICES

Sunlight Fancy Selected Eggs (in cartons), doz.	34c
Meadowbrook Butter (prints) lb.	58c
Mayfield Nut Oleo, lb.	27c
Baker's Cocoa (1/2)	22c
Baker's Premium Chocolate (1/2)	22c
Fletcher's Castoria	26c
Currents	18c
Pennant's Tomatoes (No. 3 Can)	12 1/2c
Rumford Baking Powder (1's)	28c
Hops	49c
Excellity Malt and Hops	\$1.10
Chase & Sanborn Coffee, lb.	39c
Fletcher's Coffee, lb.	39c
White House Coffee, lb.	40c
Lily of Valley Golden Bantam Corn	22c
Snider's Ketchup	26c
Fancy Red Salmon	32c
Pink Salmon	12c
Dry Yeast (1's)	20c
Jello, assorted, pkg.	10c
Molasses (gal. can)	65c
Blue Karo	11c
Mueller's Macaroni	11c
Gold Medal Rolled Oats	7c
Herbex Bouillon Cubes (beef)	20c
Kellogg's Corn Flakes	10c
Howard's Salad Dressing	30c
Baker's Extracts	28c
Grape Nuts	15c
Quaker Oats (large)	25c
Ralston (large)	24c
Cream of Wheat	26c
Bee Soap	7c
Welcome Soap	7c
P. & G. Naphtha Soap	7c
Baker's Coconut	11c
Fancy Peaches (No. 2 1/2 can)	20c
Banquet Brand Pure Jam (15 oz.)	34c
Worcester Salt (10 lb. bag)	28c

PRESCOTT STREET

Chalifoux's
CORNERS

The Store of Absolute Satisfaction

NR TONIGHT
Tomorrow Night
Get a 25¢ Box

FRED HOWARD, THE DRUGGIST

DROP IN PRICE OF COAL

Reduction in Wages Accepted Under Protest By Coal Teamsters

The price of coal in this city dropped a dollar a ton this morning and a reduction in wages for the chauffeurs, coal teamsters and yard men, will become effective tomorrow as per announcement in the 7 o'clock edition of last evening's Sun. As an inducement for people to get in their coal early, the coal dealers have also agreed to knock off another half dollar on every ton of coal paid for during the month of April, 35 cents for all fuel paid for in May and 25 cents for coal paid for in June.

Accept Under Protest

The matter of a reduction in wages was discussed at a special meeting of the Coal Teamsters' union, which was held last evening and finally it was decided to accept the reduction, but under protest. Three ballots were taken by the members of the union, but the vote was so close that the matter was finally referred to the grievance committee, which decided to accept the new scale of wages.

The reduction will be as follows: Chauffeurs, 10 cents an hour; double teamsters, 12 cents an hour; single teamsters, 8 1/2 cents, and yard help 10 1/2 cents. The present pay of these employees is as follows: Chauffeurs, 50 cents an hour; double teamsters, 57 cents; single teamsters, 51 1/2; and yard help, 50 1/2. It will be noticed that the pay of the double and single teamsters will be the same under the new schedule.

IN NORTH HILERICA

The Ladies auxiliary of the Father Mathew Total Abstinence society of North Hilerica presented the "Peak Sisters," a very enjoyable farce, for a large and appreciative audience in Thomas Talbot Memorial hall last evening. The play was given under the personal direction of J. Frank Muller and was produced in a very creditable manner. Those who took part were Mrs. Esther Hannon, Mrs. James McCusker, Mrs. Joseph W. Nolan, Mrs. Charles Coffey, Mrs. George Brunelle, Mrs. Alfred Collins, Mrs. George Rinnis, Mrs. Edward Collins, Mrs. George Hennessey, Mrs. Joseph Garner, Mrs. George Foley and Mrs. William Morris. At the close of the entertainment general dancing was enjoyed till a reasonable hour.

STORE CHANGES HANDS

The D. H. Sullivan & Co., family grocery store at the corner of Westford and Stevens streets has been sold to Joseph R. Donovan, who formerly conducted the Donovan market at the corner of Dummer and Market streets. Mr. Donovan will continue to Westford street along the same general lines as his predecessor. Mr. Sullivan will retire after a long business career and for the present will enjoy a rest.

THIS IS A FOWL STORY

FREMONT, O., April 1.—Dan Rooney's sow killed all of her pigs but one. The pig ran under a hen, chasing her chicks away. Now the hen mothers it and refused to take back her chicks.

The rainiest spot on earth is the Waipio Valley in Hawaii. The precipitation averages one inch a day.

CHANGE IN WIFE IS WONDERFUL, HE SAYS

"The Best I Can Say for Tanlac Is Not Half Good Enough," Declares Webster Citizen

"The improvement I've seen take place in my wife's condition during the past few weeks certainly seems wonderful, and I'm glad to give Tanlac all the credit and praise for restoring her health," was the statement made by Joseph Koslowski, 93 Schoolfield Ave., Webster, Mass., recently.

"My wife got in such a nervous, run down condition she could do but very little of her housework. For months she had no appetite at all, and what little she forced down seemed to do her more harm than good. After meals gas would form on her stomach and bloat her all up,

and she complained of pains in her left side and back constantly. Her nerves were so unstrung the least little noise would make her jump, and nights she scarcely slept any. She said she felt worn out all the time, and the lightest housework would tire her completely out in almost no time, and many days she suffered awfully with headache.

"One day, she told me she had heard so much about Tanlac that she wanted to try it, so I got her a bottle, with the rest that now she is in fine health again. Her appetite is fine, she has gained several pounds in weight, and says she feels stronger and better than for a long time. She sleeps well, too, and never complains of any of her old troubles. I can't say anything too strong for Tanlac."

Tanlac is sold in Lowell by Green's Drug Store, under the personal direction of a special Tanlac representative, by Wright Drug Co., Hilerica, Mass., Snow's Pharmacy, Concord, Mass., and by the leading druggist in every town.—Adv.

M. VIVIANI DELIVERS GREETING OF FRANCE

WASHINGTON, April 1.—Rene Viviani, former premier of France, now on a mission of courtesy as envoy extraordinary of the French representative to President Harding, addressed a message of greeting here last night to the American people in his first public statement since arriving in the United States.

"I have accepted the mission with which the government of my country has honored me," M. Viviani said, "with a deeper joy, as by entrusting me with the mandate of bringing to President Harding the wishes which friendly France forms for him and for his administration I could have the opportunity, through you, to hail America, all America."

"I came here in other times, tragical and dark which, however, shine for me with all the enthusiasm projected by the past."

"This enthusiasm gave men the comfort which is so necessary to continue the struggle."

"You may imagine the sacred emotion which I felt when returning amongst you. Let me express to you this emotion in my message."

"Never America, all America, will know the gratitude of my country for her."

"From the Atlantic to the Pacific, from north to south, on this magnificent land where all races and creeds are splendidly and harmoniously mingled, our mind finds anew the generous sons and the valiant daughters to whom we owe so great a debt."

"Nothing will ever break the ties of heart which unite to your republic France, France who has suffered so much for right, who asks only for justice, and who hopes for the salvation of humanity through a better world."

The statement, which was headed

"message of his excellency, M. Rene Viviani, former premier of France, envoy extraordinary of the French republic to the president of the United States," was regarded as clearing up for the first time officially the precise status under which the French official was received by the American government.

State department officials have stated that the former French premier presented no formal credentials upon his reception by the state department, but was received with the verbal introduction of Ambassador Jusserand as a special envoy of France.

With the return of M. Viviani from the funeral of Cardinal Gibbons in Baltimore yesterday, he attended a dinner last night at the French embassy given by Ambassador Jusserand for the purpose of introducing the French visitor to Vice President Coolidge, chairman of the senate foreign relations committee and other members of congress.

RAMEY FOUND GUILTY

Convicted of Murderous Assault on Mildred Wanamaker

BOSTON, April 1.—Frank S. Ramey of Wakefield was found guilty yesterday afternoon of a murderous assault on Mildred Wanamaker in Wakefield, last October. The verdict was returned after a deliberation which lasted a little over an hour.

It is expected that District Attorney Tufts will move for a sentence today as the present session of the Middlesex criminal court will adjourn this afternoon.

When George Carter, foreman of the jury, announced the verdict, a gasp went up from the crowded courtroom. The court officers rapped sharply for order and silence was immediately restored.

Ramey made no visible demonstration. He appeared to be a trifle dazed when he was led out of the criminal dock and hesitated for an instant before he was taken from the room to the East Cambridge jail.

No intimation of the length of Ramey's sentence was made yesterday. The maximum sentence for assault with intent to murder is recognized as 15 to 20 years.

Judge Cox's charge ended at 1 o'clock and after an hour for luncheon the jurors took up the case. The judge defined the two parts of the indictment, assault and intent to murder, and told them that it was assumed that their minds were open when they took their seats, and that they were to reserve a final formation of opinion until they went to the jury room and carefully considered the evidence.

District Attorney Tufts completed his argument shortly before noon. He ridiculed the alibi defense that had been built up for Ramey and denounced the "hastinations and innuendoes" that had been made against the witnesses for the commonwealth.

He said that Ramey was strong enough to handle a pair of horses, and would have no difficulty in dragging Miss Wanamaker through the woods. He said that if she was inspired with hatred for revenge for Ramey and was a perjurer it would be too simple for her to say, "Frank Ramey assaulted me."

SEEK OPERATOR OF FAKE "DIVORCE MILL"

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., April 1.—A state-wide search was inaugurated yesterday for Herbert F. Miller in connection with a fake "divorce mill" he is alleged to have conducted from his Manhattan office. An indictment, charging Miller with forging the names of several supreme court justices to fraudulent divorce decrees, will be sought, Dist. Atty. Davis said, when the Westchester county grand jury meets next week.

Mr. Davis also said he had received "quick divorces on the Miller plan." Most prominent of them, he added, is the wife of a representative from a foreign country to the United States but he declined to make public her name.

Miller not only appeared in behalf of clients in regular courts but "presided" over one of his own in his office, the district attorney asserted. His "court" usually consisted of two or three women who were ready to give testimony, damaging or otherwise, in undefended cases. Miller is alleged to have received from \$200 to \$300 for each divorce.

After the "trial" the "decrees" were formally presented to the client, usually with the name of a supreme court justice forged thereon. In regular courts Miller "switched" his witnesses so that the presiding justice never heard the same witness twice. Miller also has "annulled" several marriages, Mr. Davis asserted.

The alleged "divorce mill" operator had not been given a license to practice law in New York, the district attorney said, adding he believed Miller was a ring-leader in the divorce swindling scheme, ramifications of which extended throughout the country.

The University of Maine faculty recently suspended 35 sophomores for laziness which consisted of a paddling gauntlet for freshmen.

A. G. Pollard Co.

The Store for Thrifty People

\$25 Tricotine Dresses

\$18.50

Also \$30.00, \$35.00 and \$45.00

DRESSES

\$25 \$30 and \$40

For Today and Saturday

40 Wool Tricotine Dresses in the lot, sizes from 16 misses to 44, colors navy, black and brown—some embroidered—some smart tailored models.

Second Floor

\$35
SUITS OF
MEN'S WEAR
SERGE
Now \$25.00

Blue and Black Only.
These suits are a wonderful value, plain tailored models with silk embroidery or braid trimming, Misses' sizes to 46 adult.

Second Floor

Have You Tried a Cup of Cream of Chocolate?
Now being demonstrated in the Fancy Grocery Section. If not, come in today.



Tuxedo Coat
Sweaters
\$5.00

Certainly a good value. Fancy link-stitch Tuxedo Sweaters in navy, Harding blue and other colors. Suitable weight for out-door or in-door wear.

Second Floor

NEW
GINGHAM
HOUSE
DRESSES
\$1.98

5 Dozen in the lot. All sizes to 46. Neat attractive patterns in checks and stripes. Plenty of Billie Burkes. These pretty dresses are \$2.98 value.

Second Floor

New Wraps and Capes

At Attractive Prices

In Velour, Llama Cloth, Chamoistyne, Ramona, Bolivia and Orian Dulette in misses' and women's styles; fully lined with silk. Colors: Beaver, Tan, Deer, Moufflon and Hindustan. Many are heavily embroidered.



\$25, \$30,
\$40, \$50,
to \$65

Second Floor

Mignonette Dresses for
Women and Misses
\$25.00

Three very smart models. One with tunic braided in narrow flat silk braid, broad sash girdle and three quarter sleeves. Another redingote style with the desired tuxedo front and narrow tie girdle. The third, tunic style embroidered with gold thread is very stunning; colors, navy and black.

Second Floor



Fur Chokers
Are Fashionable and Very Reasonable

We now have a fine assortment of these new and popular fur chokers for suit-wear at the following prices:

Natural Squirrel Chokers, \$12.50
Australian Opossum Chokers, \$15.00
Mink Chokers, \$18.50 and \$22.50
Taupe Fox Chokers, \$15.00
Lucille Fox Chokers, \$20.00
Fisher Raccoon Chokers, \$27.50

Second Floor



New Hats
And NEW LOW PRICES

Inexpensive hats for immediate wear, copies of much higher prices. Hats of straw and silk, trimmed with flowers and fruit, small trim sailors, and off-the-face effects, prettily trimmed.

\$7.50 and \$10.00

Palmer Street Store



French Voile
Waists
\$2.98

Beautiful crisp French Voile Waist, fashioned with becoming square necks, long roll collars with vestee, forming the desired Tuxedo effect. Daintily trimmed with fine laces and hand embroidery. These waists are a \$5.00 value, but are specially priced at \$2.98

Second Floor

PONGEE
WAISTS
\$2.98

Two very smart models. One semi-tailored with convertible collar—the other with fine pleated frills down front and roll collar. This material has proved a very serviceable one for tub waists. Easily laundered and always becoming.

Second Floor

Boston Wholesale Millinery Company

A SENSATIONAL

After-Easter Sale

BUY YOUR NEW EASTER HAT AT THIS BIG UPSTAIRS STORE AND

SAVE 1-3

WE HAVE A COMPLETE LINE OF DRESSY AND TAILORED HATS



90 Merrimack St.

UPSTAIRS

Over 20th Century Shoe Store Opposite John Street

CHEER U. S. IN FRENCH SENATE

Disposal by French Government of American Army Stocks Discussed

U. S. Referred to as "Great Nation to Which We in Large Part Owe Victory"

PARIS, April 1.—(By the Associated Press)—The disposal by the French government of American army stocks was discussed in the senate last night during debate on the budget. Senator Pierre Berger demanded information of the government as to whether many automobiles had not disappeared from American camps taken over by the French authorities.

"That is not disputed," replied Andre Paisant, undersecretary of the ministry of commerce, who was charged with the sale of the American stocks. Senator Berger, continuing, said he had heard of new American automobiles being sold for 3000 or 4000 francs at Camp Givres on one day and being resold in Paris the next day for 10,000 or 12,000 francs.

"I will mention, finally, apparatus for wireless telegraphy, now and in perfect condition, with perfect magnetic sensitiveness," said Senator Berger. "Do you know what was done with that? I will give you a thousand guesses. That was sold by weight."

At this, there were exclamations by the senators. Senator Berger continued his criticism of the French officials, after which M. Paisant replied at length, but with many interruptions and questions, saying in part:

"We bought the American stocks for \$400,000,000, the dollar being calculated at seven francs. It was understood payment was to be made in 10 years, bearing interest, on the exchange rate of the dollar the day the payment is due."

"The camps were transferred to us without detailed inventories. The Americans reserved the right to take from the camps whatever was necessary for their existence until their departure from France and consequently the stores were diminished. Besides, there were numerous errors. Thus, on the one hand, we counted upon 75,000 automobiles, but only 25,000 were found. Of these 25,000, 1500 have been sold to the public at a very much reduced price. It concerns the fault of an individual and cannot in any fashion be thrown upon the great nation to which we in so large part owe our victory."

This evoked much applause.

PAUL KITTREDGE COUNCIL, A. A. R. I. N., will have a speaker from Boston at its meeting tonight in Y.M.C.A. hall, to boom the relief campaign now under way. Dr. Donelue will preside.



PARAGON
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STILLWATER
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DUNN'S

ARLINGTON
WATERHOUSE
FRENCH RIVER

These goods are as staple as sugar and you can't go wrong in buying them—and as always, Mitchell, the Tailor's prices are lower than others will ask for the same quality—because of the tremendous cash purchasing power of my big organization, always alert to take the extra discounts of spot cash offerings.

My Special Spring Offer FOR A SHORT TIME ONLY

I will build to your order a four-piece suit, cut to your individual measure, made any style you select, designed by the highest priced cutter in Lowell, and tailored by experts, with high-grade linings and trimmings, for \$35.00, and Extra Trousers of Same Material.

Think of this, men—right now at the very beginning of the Spring season, when others are asking almost double my price even for risky ready-to-wear, I can make these suits at this price and make a small margin of profit, and don't forget the Extra Pair of Trousers doubles the life of the suit.

MITCHELL, The Tailor

31 MERRIMACK SQ.
LOWELL

Advance Showing of 1921 Spring Suitings

As usual, Mitchell, the Tailor, is first with the new season's offerings, and never before in my entire history, have I been able to offer such a variety of fabrics and weaves—such a profusion of shades and colorings in all wool and worsted suitings from America's foremost mills. Every pattern is new and desirable, and selected with due regard to climatic conditions of New England, suitable for all year round wear. Worsteds, Tweeds, Serges, Pencil Stripes, Herringbones and Novelty Weaves that others will show later are here—NOW—in all their glory for your selection.

I recently purchased the entire sample line of a Worcester wholesale woolen house whose name I promised not to mention, consisting of the very finest quality of suit patterns woven by some of the following mills whose reputation needs no comment—

A \$50 OFFERING
TWO-TROUSER SUITS MADE TO YOUR
MEASURE FOR

\$35

Extra Trousers of Same Material



Resinol
a healing house-
hold ointment

The same soothing, healing properties that make Resinol Ointment so effective for eczema and many other skin eruptions also make it an ideal household remedy for:

Burns Wounds Chafings
Cuts Sores Rashes
and a score of other troubles which frequently arise in every home. This is why you should keep Resinol Ointment ready for instant use.

Sold by all druggists, prescribed by doctors.

Peterson's Ointment
Best for Eczema

First Application Stops Itching at Eczema, Salt Rheum and Piles

Ends Chafing Discomfort in Five Minutes
"Live and let live is my motto," says Peterson of Buffalo: "Druggists all over America sell PETERSON'S OINTMENT for 35 cents a large box and I say to you that the druggists who sell my ointment for a large of the diseases or ailments for which I recommend it and are not benefited, give them their money back."

I've got a safe full of thankful letters testifying to the mighty healing power of Peterson's Ointment for old and running sores, eczema, salt rheum, ulcers, sore nipples, broken breast, itching scalp, chafing, and blind, itching and bleeding piles."
John Scott, 23 Virginia street, Buffalo, writes: "Peterson's Ointment is simply wonderful. It cured me of eczema and also piles, and it did it so quickly that I was astonished." All orders filled by Peterson Ointment Co., Inc., Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.

"How My Poor Back Does Ache!"

Many a woman keeps Sloan's handy for this, but it's great for other pains, too.

THAT dragging, wearying back-ache, that so many women regularly suffer from, is quickly eased by a little Sloan's Liniment. And it is good for all the family. Apply it, without rubbing, for all kinds of aches and pains, from the sharp neuralgic twinge to the dull, tearing ache of rheumatism.

Then there's sciatica, lumbago, sore muscles, stiff joints. Keep a bottle handy for you never'll know when you will need it.

Largest size is most economical. At all druggists—35c, 70c, \$1.40.

Sloan's Liniment

FIRST STREET PROBLEM

City and State to Get Busy
Mayor Gets Letter From Cole

Almost coincident with the announcement of Commissioner Dennis A. Murphy that he will macadamize a portion of First street proper this season came today a communication to Mayor Thompson from John N. Cole, commissioner of the state department of public works, announcing that his department had approved and completed plans for the relocation of the proposed new First street highway along the river bank and that a copy of the plans would be forwarded at once under separate cover.

This, necessary preliminaries for activity on both the old and new roads have been taken care of. Work on the old road will be started in the near future by employees of the street department. The next step in the building of the new road will be the inspection of the plans by City Engineer Kearney, who will consult with engineers from the state department as to the cost of the work.

As soon as an estimate is obtained, Mr. Kearney will report to Commissioner Murphy who, in turn, will tell the municipal council what amount of money will be needed to complete the city's share of the job.

Part of the rough grading of the new roadway has been completed. An agreement entered into by the state, county and city provides that the city shall pay for all the foundation work on the new road up to the sub-grading. The county will donate \$15,000 to assist in this part of the program. When that work is done, the state will step in, finish the job and keep the highway in repair forever. This latter provision was secured from the state authorities through the efforts of City Engineer Kearney and will relieve the city for all time of the burden of taking care of the road.

**QUICK RECOVERY
OF STOLEN AUTO**

A Ford coupe, reported stolen from in front of the postoffice shortly after 1 a. m., was recovered in record time by Officer John J. Mahan, who found the car on Thorndike street, near the Casino, within an hour. Claude Winters, a salesman for the Harry Pitts company, and owner of the machine, notified headquarters of his loss and Officer Mahan received the report when he rang in his box. Soon afterwards he telephoned to the station that he had discovered the car, deserted but undamaged. Equipped with all devices, the coupe is estimated as being worth \$1200 by its owner. Eleven gallons of gas remained in the tank when

Pardoned Americans On Way to Coblenz

BERLIN, April 1.—Carl Neuf and Franz Zimmer, pardoned after confinement in Baden for the attempt to arrest Grover Cleveland Bergdall, the American draft evader today were on the way from Moshahel, Baden to Coblenz. Their release was suggested to the Baden authorities by the German government as a voluntary attempt to smooth out an unpleasant situation, it was semi-officially declared today. The recommendation to Baden was not because of the probability of representations by the American government it was added, and the government here professes to have had no knowledge of any outside agitation in connection with the case.

To Make Beer and Wine In Hawaii

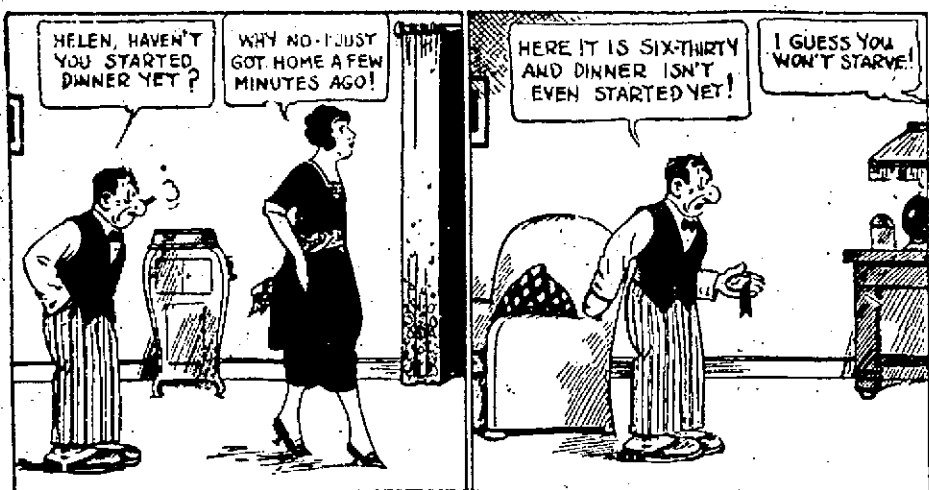
HONOLULU, March 31.—A resolution petitioning congress to sanction the manufacture and sale in Hawaii of beer containing 4½ per cent and wine containing 15 per cent alcohol, was introduced in the territorial house today by Representative Evan da Silva of Hilo. The resolution said that the people of Hawaii had no opportunity to express their convictions on prohibition and that drunkenness had increased in the territory since prohibition became operative.

the car was found, and apparently the thieves had taken flight upon the approach of Officer Mahan. The only loss was the key of the machine, which was taken by the thieves.

Whatever you prepare, it will be more distinctively good if you Sweeten it with Domino Granulated Cane Sugar. Domino is the best. It is the only granulated cane sugar that is so pure and so sweet. It is the only granulated cane sugar that is so easy to use. It is the only granulated cane sugar that is so economical. It is the only granulated cane sugar that is so delicious. It is the only granulated cane sugar that is so good. It is the only granulated cane sugar that is so perfect. It is the only granulated cane sugar that is so great. It is the only granulated cane sugar that is so wonderful. It is the only granulated cane sugar that is so amazing. It is the only granulated cane sugar that is so incredible. It is the only granulated cane sugar that is so unbelievable. It is the only granulated cane sugar that is so extraordinary. It is the only granulated cane sugar that is so phenomenal. It is the only granulated cane sugar that is so remarkable. 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DOINGS OF THE DUFFS

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CHARLES SOUGHT TO EMULATE CONSTANTINE

BUDAPEST, April 1.—(By the Associated Press)—Bishop Holt of the diocese of Veszprem, according to the best information obtainable here, was the preponderant influence in urging former Emperor Charles to attempt to regain the Hungarian throne.

Bishop Holt was in Prangins, Charles' Swiss refuge, a week ago to christen the ex-ruler's new-born daughter. He persuaded the latter to return to Hungary immediately, it is alleged, declaring the pro-Hapsburg propaganda could not be effective without the former emperor's presence there. The success of King Constantine of Greece, despite the opposition of the allies, is declared to have been instigated by the bishop.

It is alleged also that the anti-semitic organization "Awakening Hungary" had an important share in the plot. Its president, Deputy Szmechanyi, has been placed under virtual arrest.

APPEALS TO HOME RULE COMMITTEE

Believing the matter one of vital importance to the city as a whole and the street car riding public in particular, Mayor Perry D. Thompson today sent a letter to each member of the street railway home rule committee, urging the committee to give the coming conference with the trustees of the Eastern Massachusetts St. Ry. Co. relative to a fare reduction for Lowell the most earnest consideration. The mayor further urged that the committee go into the conference with an unanimity of thought and determination. His letter was as follows:

"I note by the press that a very important conference on the matter of fare reduction for the city of Lowell is set for April 7 with the public trustees of the Eastern Massachusetts St. Ry. Co.

"While not a member of the home rule committee, so-called, I feel that this matter is of such vital importance to our city that I cannot refrain from urging you as a member of this committee to give the matter your most earnest consideration.

"Also, I feel sure that your committee will go into this conference in perfect unanimity of thought and determination for I am satisfied that you fully realize what a fare reduction would mean to the riding public of our city.

"Very truly yours,

"PERRY D. THOMPSON,"
"Mayor of Lowell."

TORNADO CAUSES HEAVY DAMAGE

ALBANY, Ga., April 1.—The northern part of Albany was swept by a tornado late yesterday that killed one man, a negro; injured 60 persons, half a dozen seriously, and caused property damage estimated at several hundred thousand dollars. The tornado destroyed or partially wrecked approximately a hundred dwellings, but its greatest damage was to a dozen or more large industrial plants.

The storm swept a stretch of territory about a hundred yards wide and a mile and a quarter long, sometimes passing over a building only to descend with crushing force a few hundred yards farther on. The industrial plants damaged included the Virginia-Carolina Chemical company, unofficially estimated at \$50,000.

WOMEN NOT LIABLE TO JURY SERVICE

BOSTON, April 1.—The granting of suffrage to women carries with it no liability to jury duty, the supreme court held in an opinion rendered to the legislature today. It added, however, that the legislature had authority under the constitution to frame a law making women liable to jury service. The court's opinion was asked after a convicted defendant appealed a jury's verdict on the ground that "women were excluded from membership on the jury which tried him."

Eyes Weak?

If your eyes are weak and work-strained; your vision blurred, if you find it difficult to read and must wear glasses, go to your druggist and get a bottle of Bon-Opto tablets. Drop one in a fourth of a glass of water and bathe the eyes two to four times a day. Stronger eyes, clearer vision, and sweet relief will make you tell your friends about Bon-Opto.

Note: Doctors say Bon-Opto strengthens eyesight 50% in a week's time in many instances.

LEGAL NOTICES

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court within and for the County of Middlesex:

Respectfully I, Mary Wholley, sometimes called "Wholley," of Lowell, in said County, that she was lawfully married to Henry Wholley, sometimes called "Wholley," of New York City, State of New York, at Portsmouth, State of New Hampshire, on the fourth day of September, A. D. 1903, and thereafterwards residing in said County, and that said Wholley lived together as husband and wife in this Commonwealth, to wit, at Lowell, in said County, that your illustrious honor has decreed that her marriage vows and obligations to said Henry Wholley being wholly regardless of the same, at Lowell aforesaid, on or about the third day of July, A. D. 1910, utterly deserted her, and has continued such desertion from that time to the date hereof, being more than three consecutive years next prior to the filing of this libel.

Wherefore your illustrious honor prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant, said Mary Wholley, and that the care and custody of their minor children, Grace Evelyn Wholley, Edith Mary Wholley, and Daniel Edward Wholley, may be decreed to said Mary Wholley.

Dated this twenty-ninth day of March, A. D. 1921. MARY WHOLLEY.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Superior Court.

Upon the foregoing libel it is ordered that the libellant notify the libellee to appear before our Justices of said Court, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Monday of May next, by causing an attested copy of said libel and of the order thereon, to be published in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, once a week for three successive times, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said last mentioned day, and that an attested copy of said libel and order thereon be sent by registered letter to the residence of the libellee as set out in the libel, that he may then and there show cause, if any he have, why the prayer of said libel set forth should not be granted.

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

A true copy of the libel and of the order thereon.

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

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VERY SPECIAL — Tan Mixed Tweed Suits. Sizes 9 to 15 only.

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Many styles now in demand and novelties which will please you. Materials that will please you. A little better than is found in the ordinary store.

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FRATERNAL NEWS

A meeting of the committee in charge of the arrangements for the public mass meeting of Oliver Plunkett council, A.A.R.I., which will be held next Sunday evening in Colonial hall, Middlesex street, was held last evening. Final plans for the meeting were made and it was announced that the principal speaker will be William H. O'Brien of Boston and the following committee was appointed to receive the visitor: Thomas Golden, President John McInerney, Miss Maria Markham and Miss Catherine Roughan. At the close of the meeting entertainment numbers were given by John J. Brady, Thomas Golden, John Balfrey, Miss Catherine Roughan, Wm. Devereux. The meeting was brought to a close with the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner" and "The Soldier's Song."

Gaelic Athletic Association

The members of the Lowell Gaelic Athletic association held a special meeting in Trades and Labor hall, Central street, last evening. President James Brennan occupied the chair and routine business was transacted. The committee on sports reported that the Tipperary football and Clare hurling teams of Boston have accepted the challenge and will come to Lowell to take part in the opening games of the local association in the afternoon of April 12. A committee was appointed to make arrangements for a ladies' night in the near future.

Washington Council

The recent whist and box party held at the home of Miss Margaret Vaughn, 124 Moore street, for the benefit of the George Washington council, A.A.R.I., was a success in every way. There was a large attendance, the program

was excellent, and the receipts were very substantial. The prizes and the winners at whist were as follows: First, a cheese dish, Miss Margaret Conley; second, a necktie, Martin Slattery. The consolation prizes were won by Miss Margaret Dean and Francis Finnegan. The prizes were donated by Michael Slattery. After the whist the boxes were auctioned off by James Hearn and the sum of more than \$50 was realized.

AND LAKE HAS NO TIME
DETROIT, Mich., April 1.—John Thomathewicz bought a farm, paid \$1500 cash for it. Two agents said it was worth much more. It was located two miles out in Lake St. Clair.

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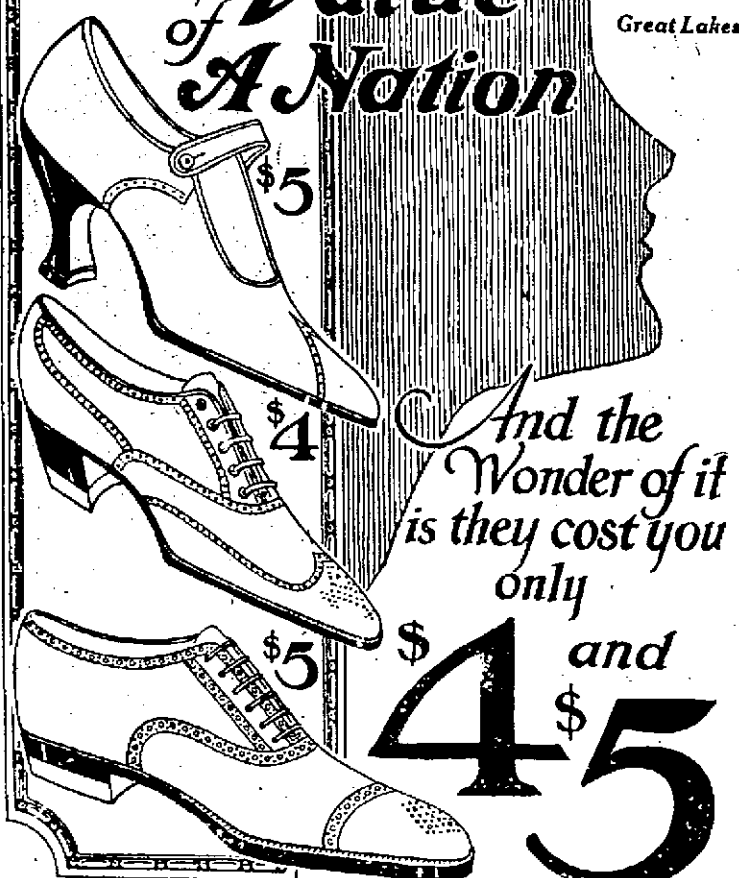
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Wingfoot Rubber
Heels... \$4

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A WHITE WAY IN TEWKSBURY

Electric Light to Supplant
Gas as Illuminant Along
Main Street

New Town Hall Proves
Popular as Centre of Com-
munity Life

Tewksbury is taking on metropolitan airs. It is to soon have a white way along the whole length of main street. It will start near Wamecet station and extend through the center village three miles down the state road. It will not be quite so bright a white way as Lowell has, but it will be almost as midday unto midnight compared with the present. For many years the town has depended upon gas for its artificial light. At the last town meeting the selectmen were authorized to make a contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corporation to extend its wires into the town. The contract has been duly entered into, and the company is now engaged in putting the poles for the wires in place. All along main street at the present time workmen are engaged in excavating for the poles that are already to be set upright.

From the main street line the wires are to go into a number of the side streets between Wamecet and the center. The principal streets that will be furnished with current are Rogers street, Pike street, and Whipple street; the wires for the latter thoroughfare coming via Wigginsville. Also an extension will be made from the electric wires in North Tewksbury to Almont. It is expected that everything will be in readiness for turning on the juice in about a month.

A Community Center

When the new town hall, of which Tewksbury is justly proud, was dedicated last spring, it was little realized by most of the people of the town

of what great usefulness the building was to be in promoting the social life. It has already become a community center. It is open for every sort of gathering that requires a meeting place. During the ten days beginning last Friday it is to be in use for some purpose on nine of the days.

Thursday night the Ladies' Aid society of the First Parish church used the hall for a unique entertainment that was largely attended. Previous to the entertainment in the upper hall, a hot roast beef supper was served in the dining room. It was a supper of quality and quantity. If it shed any light as to what Tewksburites commonly feed upon, then they are not being troubled by the high cost of living. As to quantity, the servings would have made those of the average city restaurant look like portions for a mouse.

The entertainment in the upper hall took the form of the presentation of living pictures from the "Family Album." As the cover of the album was drawn aside the portraits of different members of the family and their friends were shown on the stage.

Those taking part in the entertainment, and the portraits they represented, were as follows:
Bride, Mrs. Harry Nash; twins, Mrs. Harry Anthony and Mrs. William Lewis; grandfather, Fred Carter; father, John Gale; mother, Mrs. Joe Phelps; husband, Miss Edith Gibbons; minister, Miss Gladys Pillsbury; village beauty, Archie Pillsbury; parson, Mrs. E. P. MacLaren; parson's wife, Miss Stella Morrill; deacon, Mrs. John Selfer; aunt, Miss Hanna Chandler; girls, Miss Thelma Gale, Mrs. Melvin Rogers, and Mrs. Thomas McCausland. The pictures in the album were shown by Mrs. Almira Pease.

In addition to the "Family Album," as part of the entertainment, there were solos by Mrs. Anna Moulton of Medford, readings by Mrs. John McCord of Lowell, and chorus singing. Andrew Warburton was accompanist. A short address was given by Mrs. John Selfer.

One of the most interesting features of the entertainment was the gathering of all of the members of the Ladies' Aid society present on the stage grouped around the "mother" of the organization, Mrs. George Pillsbury, who is 50 years old.

The entertainment was given for the purpose of raising money to add to the building fund of the First Parish church. The society now has 68 members.

The entertainment was in charge of the society's social committee made

up of the following-named: Mrs. John Selfer, chairman; Mrs. George James, Mrs. Alden Haines, Mrs. Albert C. Binsdell.

The supper committee was made up as follows: Mrs. Ellen Briggs, chairman; Mrs. John Lyons, Mrs. William Mitchell, Mrs. Albert C. Binsdell, Mrs. George Newhall, Mrs. James Chambers, Mrs. Alfred Norris, Mrs. E. P. MacLaren, Mrs. Walter Lavelle, Mrs. Harry Nash, Mrs. Charles Kittredge, Mrs. William Lewis, Mrs. Harry Anthony and Mrs. George James.

Politics Quiet

Tewksbury is not commonly a hotbed of political strife. A little less than usual, however, seems to be going on at the present time in circles where town politics are discussed. The new town finance committee comes in for a word of occasional comment. The general disposition is to wait and see how the committee shapes its course of action. The general opinion seems to be that if the committee confines itself to affairs strictly within its province, it may prove extremely useful to the town. On the other hand, it is claimed by some, if it undertakes to butt into things that do not properly concern it, as it is said finance committees in other places have done, it will run up against a snag promptly. There is talk of a special town meeting in the near future, but when it will come, if at all, no one seems to be in a position to say.

The town assessors started yesterday to make their annual canvass of the town valuations and poll tax payers.

Effects of Industrial Depression

The period of industrial depression is showing its effects in an increase in the number of inmates in the state infirmary, according to figures furnished by Dr. John H. Nichols, superintendent of the institution. On Wednesday this week there were 2101 persons in the infirmary, exclusive of employees. Last year the number at the same time was 2018. On the last day of February this year there were 2486 inmates as against 2102 last year on the same date. The largest population on any single day during the winter was 2498 which is believed to be a record figure. The proportion of male to female inmates, compared with last year, seems to show that both sexes are being hit about equally by the effects of the industrial curtailment.

Dr. Nichols furnished some figures

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GABARDINE TOP COATS AND RAINCOATS,
ruglan models, double breasted, bell all
around \$30.00

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LARGE ASSORTMENT OF ODD TROUSERS, made of suit patterns, in brown,
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	HOPS, Lb. 50¢	

FANCY SANTOS COFFEE, Lb. 19¢	FANCY OOLONG TEA, Lb. 25¢
Can Corn, Peas, Tomatoes, 12½¢	PEA BEANS, Lb. 7¢

LARGE SOUND ONIONS 10 Lbs. 25¢	Fancy G. M. POTATOES Pk. 25¢	NEW CABBAGE, Lb. 5¢
FANCY SPINACH, Pk. 35¢	CELERY, Bunch... 25¢	HEAVY LETTUCE, Head 15¢
	CARROTS, Lb. 5¢	

PURE COCOA, 2 Lbs. 25¢	RIPE BANANAS, Doz. 30¢
Hamburg Steak, lb. 15¢, 20¢, 25¢	TOMATO SAUSAGE, Lb. 23¢

NAVEL ORANGES, Doz. 39¢	SALT PORK, Lb. 18¢	TOP ROUND STEAK, Lb. 40¢
GRAPEFRUIT, Each 10¢	LEAN CORNED SHOULDERS, Lb. 18¢	FRANKFURTS, Lb. 19¢
STRAWBERRIES, Box 50¢	FRESH SHOULDERS, Lb. 20¢	Squire's PORK SAUSAGE, Lb. 30¢

COCOANUTS, Each 10¢	SMOKED SHOULDERS, Lb. 15¢	Fresh Killed CHICKENS, Lb. 50¢, 55¢
Thick Rib CORNED BEEF Lb. 15¢	ROAST BEEF, Lb. 25¢	Fresh Killed FOWL, Lb. 45¢, 50¢
LEAN SALT RIB, Lb. 15¢	BACON, Strip or Half, Lb. 25¢	LEGS LAMB, Lb. 35¢

FRESH PORK ROAST, Lb. 28¢	ARMOUR'S STAR HAM, Lb. 35¢	LAMB CHOPS, Lb. 28¢
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that are calculated to dispel a wide-spread idea that most of the inmates are so-called "foreigners." According to Dr. Nichols about 84 per cent. of the persons admitted are English-speaking people. Most remarkable of all is his statement that 12 per cent. of the inmates are of Massachusetts nationality. This is the largest percentage accredited to any state or country. The next largest percentage of admissions are from parts of the British empire.

The population of the infirmary at the present time, including employees, is about 2800. Included in the number are twelve recently born babies. There are also a considerable number of tuberculosis patients that are cared for at an expense of \$5.16 per week.

The Nurses' Alumni Association of the infirmary is preparing for an annual ball in the town hall in the near future.

A Busy Fire Chief
Alden Haines, the town's new chief of fire department, has been kept on the jump since he took office about three weeks ago. Brush and grass fires have kept him busy.

George James is to have charge of caring for the town common during the summer, and it is hoped, with the new town hall as a background, to make it one of the beauty spots of the village.

TOWN WITHOUT ACTORS
ISLESBORO, Me., April 1.—Town council has banned the auto. Only one was ever brought to this island. Horses and some humans, who had never seen one before, were greatly excited. This is a summer resort and vacationists like to sleep late.

LIVING GIVES ESTATE
NEW YORK, April 1.—William Cass Baker believes that children should not have to await their parents' death to share in the estate. So he has distributed \$10,000 among his four children.

Public offices in Italy refuse to accept checks, even though certified by banks.

BRITISH COAL MINERS STRIKE

Work Ceases in Mines of United Kingdom—1,200,000 Miners Idle

Danger That Mines May Be Flooded Threatens—Many May Be Ruined

LONDON, April 1.—All work ceased in the coal mines of the United Kingdom at midnight with the exception of a few districts and approximately 1,200,000 miners were idle today, as a result of the controversy over the wage issue. In two collieries in Yorkshire, one in Northumberland, one in Scotland and one in North Wales, the men promised to continue at their posts without prejudice to any terms that might be agreed upon, but all other pit workers, including mechanics, pumpmen, ventilating men and pony men, came out with the miners.

Danger that the mines may be flooded threatens, and many may be ruined from the influx of water. Strenuous efforts are being made everywhere to enroll volunteers, Yorkshire pumpmen have decided to remain at work and hope was expressed today that others would follow their example.


Orders Placed in America

The first effect of the strike has been the placing of orders with American coal merchants. Advises from New York state that a flood of orders from European countries which normally have formed the British market, has been received there. Although the country's stock of coal is estimated at one million tons, the price of household fuel already has risen two shillings per ton. London and other urban centers are believed to have several weeks' supply on hand.

Apprehension is felt that the National Union of Railwaymen and the Transport Workers' Union, partners with the miners in the labor dispute, may be tempted to strike in sympathy.

One of the largest yards in London took precautionary steps and formed a company of special police to protect property. Orders were issued to employees of various government departments to "stand by" to report for transport duty if necessary.

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later date.

BOLAND MAKES REPLY FIVE PERSONS INJURED IN TRIPLE CRASH

Quotes White Book to Re- fute Charges From British Embassy on Irish Relief

NEW YORK, April 1.—Replying to the statement by the British embassy that sufficient money had been raised by taxation in the United Kingdom for Irish relief, H. J. Boland, envoy of the Irish republic, yesterday denied that funds had been raised in the United Kingdom for Ireland and declared that taxes raised in Ireland are no longer used for that relief.

"According to a white paper issued by the British government, the revenue collected by taxes from Ireland amounted to \$30,000,000 in the year ending March 31, 1920," Boland declared. "The amount expended in Ireland for the same period amounted to \$29,221,000. The money, therefore, which the British ambassador claims to have been raised in the United Kingdom is really Irish money."

"Instead of its being available for the betterment or relief of the Irish people, I have information that all grants have been stopped."

"He charged that all distress in Ireland is the result of British 'tactics' there, and the necessity for American relief would cease automatically in Ireland if the British 'stopped their reign of terror and removed their army.'"

HOUSE IS BADLY DAMAGED BY FIRE

A house at 21 Elmhurst avenue, owned by Mrs. Mary Wood, was badly damaged by fire late yesterday afternoon. The blaze, which was started by an overheated chimney, originated in the kitchen of the building, which is an ell, and before it was discovered, worked its way through the partitions to the blind attic and roof. An alarm from box 75 was sounded at 5.30 o'clock and the firemen found it a difficult job to get at the fire. The ell was badly damaged.

At 6.15 o'clock there was an alarm from box 138 for a blaze in the quarters of Club Pass-Temps at the corner of Cheever and Coolidge streets. The fire, which is believed to have been caused by rats and matches, started in the partition in the rear end of the building, but was extinguished before any serious damage was done.

TO REDUCE WAGES OF SEAMEN

WASHINGTON, April 1.—Tentative approval was given by the Shipping Board today to a reduction in the wages of seamen employed on American vessels on the Atlantic and Gulf coasts. The question was up at a conference between Chairman Benson and representatives of the American Steamship Owners' Association.

ATTACHMENTS FILED

An attachment in the sum of \$250,000 has been filed at the land registry of deeds office against the Harrison Hotel Co. of this city, in an action of contract brought by the E. A. Abbott Co. of Boston. An attachment in the sum of \$1000 has also been filed against Michael Brooks of Chelmsford, in an action of tort brought by Howard Lobas, also of Chelmsford.

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Lowell Has Anniversary

Interpretive of the spirit of the occasion and proved most interesting to the pupils and their friends and relatives who were in attendance.

At the Butler, Morey, Green and Washington schools the programs were held in the individual classrooms, while in the other elementary schools the exercises were as follows:

Pawtucket School

Salute to the Flag and Pledge of Allegiance

Chorus, "Lift Thine Eyes"

Eight Grade

Early Indian History, Evelyn Morris

Reading: "My Morriemack (Lucy Larcom)" Gardner Crockett

Recitation: "The City of Spindles," Esther Stubbert, Margaret Thomas, Ida Noonan, Thomas McCarty, Bernard Miller.

Reading: "Lucy Larcom," Rena Collins

Recitation: "The Lowell Made Man," William St. John

Chorus: "The Night and the Night," Ninth Grade

Lowell's Oldest House (The Durkes House) Anthony Spasakos

Reading: "Passaconaway's Farewell," William St. John

March: "Lucy Larcom," Erolie Adams

Recitation: "If I Were a Sunbeam," Lucy Larcom

Anna Shepard, Jane Hall, Margaret Wholey.

Song: "Tommy's Army," Grade Four

Reading: "The Rhymer," Lucy Larcom

Recitation: "The Apostle of the Indians," Mildred Sweeney

Reading: "Sir Robin," Lucy Larcom

Yara Shepard, Ruth Ryan, Irene Flynn.

Reading: "Swinging in a Birch Tree," Estelle Powers

Song: "The Rhymer," Alice Teller

Reading: "Wassail Song," Eiler Perrin

Chorus: "The Star Spangled Banner," School

Greenhalge School

Mayor Perry D. Thompson delivered an interesting and instructive address on Lowell's history and her prospects for the future at the Lowell day exercises held at the Greenhalge school this afternoon. The pupils of the school gave an excellent program of recitations, songs and readings having to do with the city and its history.

Colburn School

The Pledge of Allegiance

The Pledge of Allegiance

Chorus: The Star Spangled Banner

Reading: The Founders of Lowell, Mary Somers

Reading: The Cotton Industry in Lowell, Abraham Haysen

Reading: The Merrimack River, Ruth Lowrey

Reading: Our Parks and Playgrounds, Manuel August

Reading: The Motto and Seal of Lowell, Anna Tobin

Reading: Lowell Today, Frank Early, William C. Keefe

Reading: The Colburn School, Frances Rice

Chorus: The City, with the Right, Recitation: The Builders, Class

Chorus: America

Hillsdale School

Pledge of Allegiance

Chorus: Star Spangled Banner...Key Selection from The Story of Wampanoag, Griffin

Pupils of the 3rd Grade

Chorus: Stand by the Flag, Tucker

Reading: Passaconaway's Farewell, Ida Dowrey

Chorus: Home, Sweet Home...Payne

Reading: Who Founded Lowell and Why, Essay written by Marion Parker, Class of '19

Willard Parker

Chorus: The Duty of the Citizen, Wrighton

Reading: The True Significance of the Motto and Seal of Lowell, Essay written by Mildred Jones, Class of '16

Doris Jones

Concert recitation, The Song of the Loam, Thompson

Chorus: My City, Tis of Thee, Batchelder

Varnum School

Singing—Lowell

Hella F. Batchelder

School

Passaconaway...Robert Morse

(a) Kirk Root...John Alaska

(b) Nathan Appleton Russell Walters

(c) Paul Moody...Vahl Krikorian

Patrick Jackson...Walter Gilman

Singing

(a) Out on the Sea...Donizetti

(b) The Kindly Stars Are Teeping, Liszt

Miss Sullivan's Room

Francis Cabot Lowell, Oellie Jasmin

Col. James D. Francis, Genevieve Young

(a) John Elliot...Edward Coleman

(b) Rev. Theodore Edson, Marguerite Barbara

(c) Lucy Larcom...Janet Lewis

(d) Elizabeth Rogers...Helen Pearson

Singing, Hymn of Patriotism, Hastings

School

Gen. Joseph Bradley Varnum, Stanley Davis

General Butler...George Anderson

Governor Greenhalge...Richard Kelly

Singing, Home, Sweet Home...Payne

Ninth Grade

Our City, John Lally

Singing, Old Folks at Home,

Our Schools, Harold Carr

Singing, Star Spangled Banner, Pledge of Allegiance

Edson School

Selection, School Orchestra

Karkeon Ogasaplan, Alfred D'Arcezo, Angelo Netto, Arthur Malle, Frank Santos

Chorus, Lowell

Recitation, The Ideal City, James Russell Lowell

Frank Riley

Chorus: Home Sweet Home, Essay: Local Indian History, Francis Sloan

Plano solo, Flying Sprays, Frank Santos

Recitation: Selection from Whittier's "Bridal of Penacook," Camilla Cellamara

Plano solo: Flying Sprays, Agnes Sharkey

Essay: The Beginning of the Cotton Industry, Thomas Hickey

Banjo duet, Karkeon Ogasaplan, Angelo Netto

The Dearest Spot on Earth, Semi-chorus: Margaret Allen, Jessie Lynn, Camilla Cellamara, Everett Perkins, Robert Gilmore, Karkeon Ogasaplan

Recitation: The Merrimack, Margaret Allen, Frances Kacinski

Selection, Orchestra

Essay: The True Significance and Meaning of the Seal and Motto of Lowell, Everett Perkins

Chorus, America the Beautiful, March, Orchestra

TO BRING AUSTRIA BACK TO LIFE

PARIS, April 1. (By the Associated Press).—Efforts to bring back to life gave better promise of practical results today than at any time since the situation in that country became desperate.

The plan elaborated by the financial section of the League of Nations commission, has been received with satisfaction by Baron Eichhoff, the Austrian ambassador here, who said today he regarded it as likely to produce results.

The allied reparations commission has decided to dissolve its Austrian section.

100 NEW RUBBER COATS

For men, women and children, shall be sold at our Saturday afternoon auction sale.

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Fashion Note—

Young men are favoring the double breasted suit this Spring.

It's not so easy to find smart, snappy, new double breasted suits around town.

At least, so we judge from the number of new faces we've seen here lately, looking over our smart models.

We felt it coming and prepared. You'll find good choosing in double breasted suits here.

In blue flannels, unfinished worsteds and serges—brown unfinished, in plain and herringbone weaves—gray cassimeres and fancy mixtures.

All smartly fashioned and hand tailored—as low at \$25. Better ones at \$30, \$35 and \$40.

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Stein-Bloch Suits cost \$40 to \$50—the grades we sold at \$50 to \$70 last season.

Some of our fine Soft Hats are "down a peg." \$7.50 and \$8.00 qualities, at \$5.00.

Some smart new Derbies, just in, are priced very low—\$3.50.

New Caps at \$1.50 and \$2.

Fine Silk Four-in-Hands, with embroidered figures—our dollar qualities—at 65c, 2 for \$1.25.

D. S. O'Brien Co.

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Man Arrested After Gun Battle Held

BROOKLINE, April 1.—Louis Wolf, who escaped from Sing Sing prison recently and was arrested here last night after an exchange of shots with a policeman, pleaded guilty today to charges of attempting to break and enter, carrying a loaded revolver, and carrying burglar's tools. He was held for the grand jury in \$1500 bonds. The escaped convict said his chief regret was that he had permitted himself to be captured by a policeman of only two weeks' experience after successfully eluding the police of two states.

High Winds Cause \$35,000 Damage

BATH, Me., April 1.—High winds during last night damaged the plant of the Kennebec Wharf & Coal Co., to the extent of \$35,000. The runway, enginehouse, boom and smokestack were blown over. About 200,000 tons of coal was handled last year at the plant, located at the foot of Oak street.

Greeks Close In On Eski-Shehr

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 1.—(By the Associated Press).—Recapture of Eski-Shehr by the Greeks who were driven out of that city by a Turkish counter attack is believed to be certain, in view of the superiority of the Greeks in artillery. The Turkish nationalists appear to be erecting two army corps, one for the defense of Angora and one operating in the direction of Konia. Barbed wire entanglements are being erected in front of the Turkish trenches along an extended front.

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WOOING BY PROXY WINS THREE BRIDES, BUT FOURTH, WELL—



THE THREE SUCCESSFUL BROCKTON BACHELORS AND THEIR ARMENIAN BRIDES: LEFT TO RIGHT, EDRENA MARDENIAN, OHANIAN CHANIGAN, ARAYALUS GARMEGIAN, MISAK DANIRGIAN, YERVANTONIAN SHAFEGIAN AND LAVON VARJANATIAN.

NEW YORK, March 31.—Mamas Shierian is a 100 per cent. shoemaker in Brockton, Mass.

But he's only a 56 per cent. Cupid. When he went back to Armenia recently to bring his family to America, four bachelor friends in Brockton con-

tracted with him to find them wives among the Armenian girls.

So Shierian in Armenia carried on a four-barreled courtship by proxy and brought back four Armenian brides for his friends.

The meeting occurred at the Travelers' All society headquarters here.

Three of the brides-to-be opened their arms to as many bachelors. The fourth didn't like the looks of the man Shierian had selected for her and she jilted him. She has now gone to live with relatives in Boston and says she'll choose a husband of her own. The others married.

GUNMAN CAPTURED IN RUNNING BATTLE

BOSTON, April 1.—After making his escape from a policeman by slipping out of his coat and carrying on a running fight in which many shots were fired, a man who gave his name as Louis Rolf, 40 years old and who the police say declared he escaped from Sing Sing prison on March 5, was arrested by the Brookline police last night and locked up, charged with carrying a loaded revolver.

Patrolman Albert A. Strain of the Brookline police declares that while

patrolling his beat about 8.30 o'clock he noticed a man standing on the porch of a vacant house on Winchester street, near Coolidge. As the man perceived the officer he walked toward him, according to Strain, and the latter questioned the man as to his business.

Strain declares that the man's answers were unsatisfactory and the officer placed him under arrest as a suspicious person. At the corner of Fuller and Harvard streets, where the nearest police box is located, Strain declares that the man slipped out of his coat, leaving the garment dangling in the patrolman's hands.

Strain put after the fleeing fugitive, pulling his gun as he went. Fading into the surrounding darkness, the man pulled an automatic pistol and

opened fire upon the patrolman, firing several shots. Strain says that he returned the shots, shooting as long as he could see his target.

Strain telephoned into police headquarters and Lieutenant Mealey dispatched Officers McClacken and Murphy, along with Chauffeur Connolly, in a police automobile. Reaching the scene of the getaway the officers scattered and finally picked up a coatless man at the junction of Commonwealth avenue and Beacon street.

When booked the man gave his name as Louis Rolf and the police say, declared that his home was in Sing Sing. Further questioned by Chief Rutherford, the man declared he had made his escape from that institution on April 5, according to the chief.

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Men's High or Low Cut Shoes, in a variety of styles, black or tan, some carry the brand of a well known make, all sizes in lot, sizes 5 to 11; former prices \$7.00 to \$8.00. Sale price \$4.35

A Special Lot of Men's Gun Metal Heavy Double Sole Shoes, wide toe, Goodyear welt, sizes 6 to 11, wide width; former price \$7.50. Sale price \$4.35

Men's Scout Shoes, a variety of styles, some are elk leather, others are retau stocks, all sizes in lot, 6 to 11; former price \$3.50. Sale price \$2.49

Men's Heavy Work Shoes, with heavy soles, wide toe, easy fitting; all sizes 6 to 10; former price \$3.50. Sale price \$2.49

BOYS' SHOES

Boys' Shoes in a mixed lot, some wide toe, some narrow toe, English style, some very desirable shoes in this lot, all sizes 9 to 13½ and 1 to 6; former prices \$3.00 and \$3.50. Sale price \$1.98

A Special Lot of Boys' Tan Shoes, with narrow toes, English style, very stylish, all sizes 9 to 13½; former price \$3.50. Sale price \$2.49

Also During This Sale Boys' Olive Ooze Hood Fibre Sole Shoes, will outwear any three pairs of tennis shoes, Goodyear welted sole, easy fitting, all sizes 10 to 13½ and 1 to 6; former price \$3.50. Sale price \$1.98

A Lot of Boys' Tan Scout Shoes, made by Endicott & Johnson, all sizes 9 to 13½; former price \$2.50. Sale price \$1.98

Sizes 1 to 6. Sale price \$2.49

A Lot of Boys' Shoes, gun metal, wide toe, easy fitting, all sizes; former price \$2.50. Sale price \$1.69

WOMEN'S SHOES

A Lot of Women's Shoes, in high or low cuts, in pumps and lace oxfords, a good variety of styles and most all sizes in one style or another; former prices \$4.00 and \$5.00. Sale price \$1.98

A Special Lot of Girls' Shoes, sizes 3 and 4 only. These shoes are high cut, gun metal and violet lace, with low heels; former price \$4.00. Sale price \$1.98

A Special Lot of Women's High and Low Cuts, black or tan, in pumps and oxfords, most all sizes in one style or another, Goodyear welt; former prices \$5.00 to \$7.00. Sale price \$2.98

Women's Boudoir Cretonne Slippers, all sizes 4 to 7. Sale price 49¢

Women's One-Strap House Slippers, with rubber heels, an easy fitting style, all sizes, 3 to 7. Sale price \$1.49

Shoe Polish, all kinds, black, white, tan. Sale price 7¢

MISSSES' and CHILDREN'S SHOES

A Lot of Misses' and Children's Shoes, high cut, lace, in black or tan, wide toe, easy fitting; also some misses' tan, cloth top, high cuts, lace, sizes 1½ to 13½ and 1 to 2; former prices \$3 to \$3.50. Sale price \$1.98

Misses' and Children's Patent and Gun Metal Mary James, also 1 and 2 straps, all sizes 1½ to 13½ and 1 to 2; former prices \$2.50 and \$3.00. Sale price \$1.98

Infants' Patent Lace High Cut, Fancy Colored Tops, all sizes 3 to 7; former price \$2.50. Sale price \$1.75

Infants' Shoes, in a variety of styles, lace and button, black or tan, heavy or light soles; former price \$1.75. Sale price \$1.25

Babies' Shoes in a variety of styles, lace or button, black or tan, most of these are turned soles, sizes 2 to 5. Sale price, 85¢

Babies' Fancy Shoes, soft soles, in colors; former prices 75¢ and \$1. Sale price, 39¢



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See our windows or, better still, come in and try on the suits, and feel of the fabrics.

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Alternate two pairs of shoes; they last longer.

Keep shoes clean and well-polished. A good dressing well rubbed in prolongs the wear of leather and kid.

Clean canvas shoes on shoe trees prevent shrinking. Sponge with a little water or soap that contains whitening or use a commercial cleanser.

If cold baked potatoes are dipped for a moment into hot water and then placed in a moderate oven until warmed through, they are just as nice as freshly baked ones.

Send 232,000 Bushels of Wheat to London

BOSTON, April 1.—More than 232,000 bushels of wheat are being stowed aboard the steamship Nitonian here to fill a rush order from London. The consignment is the largest to go out of this port in several months. The last 80,000 bushels were brought from the west by special train.

GERMANS LEAVING LONDON



Walter von Simons, German foreign minister and head of the German reparations delegation, was snapped (right) as he departed from London for Berlin after refusing to meet the allied reparations demands. This refusal resulted in the occupation of east Rhine cities by allied troops. Above, Von Simons' stenographers, brought along from Berlin, as they walked to the train in London.



RAT ENDURANCE TEST IN GLAND EXPERIMENTS

SAN QUENTIN, CAL., April 1.—Seven little white rats, tirelessly running in their whirling wire cages in the California state prison here, are spinning off the fate of one of the most impor-

tant scientific experiments of modern time. Like the 2000 other prisoners in the state institution, these little animals are locked and double locked in a cell. But the seven white rats have been sent to prison to aid society, whereas the other prisoners are there as enemies of society.

And as they run their seemingly vain course, an automatic counter ticks off the number of revolutions each makes. With dramatic precision each click of the ticker is recorded on a chart in

the office of Dr. L. L. Stanley, the prison physician, and each recorded item indicates the fluctuation in energy of each rodent.

This race, which is being regulated with such detailed care, is the final severe test of the "interstitial gland" operation.

200 Convicts Revived

And, in this connection, it can now be definitely announced that Dr. Stanley, who some months ago attracted nation-wide attention through his experiments in gland operations, has successfully worked a miracle on the bodies and spirits of 200 convicts on whom the gland operation has been tried.

It would seem that these operations would be sufficient proof of the effectiveness of gland transplantation. But the conditions under which the test is made on the convict are not considered sufficiently severe.

A convict cannot be penned up like an animal and his expenditure of energy accurately measured. But a white rat can.

So the present experiment is, briefly this:

The seven rats will be kept under several weeks of observation. At the end of the set period their expenditure of energy will have been measured. Then they will be taken from their cages. Each will then undergo gland transplantation.

Operations Differ

To test the entire efficacy of the life giving gland, all variations of the operation will be practiced. One will get a single graft; another a double; one will get a portion of a human gland; another will get a portion of a goat gland.

Then they will be set running again. What will happen? To scientists the element of excitement involved in watching for the answer will have all the thrill of the big scene of a melodrama.

Will these seven rats destroy all illusions that have been built up regarding this new "fountain of youth?"

Will some be benefited and others show ill effects?

Over how long a period will an increase in energy continue?

Will this increase, if it comes, be continuous or will the operation act only as a temporary energizer?

What will be the effect of one operation as compared with another?

These are questions that seven little white rats, tirelessly running in their whirling wire cages, will some day answer for science, and hence for mankind.

WAR ON TRAVEL TAX

Business Stagnated by High Rates, Merchants Say

(Special to The Sun.)

WASHINGTON, April 1.—Removal of the tax on railroad passenger and Pullman tickets is in prospect as a result of a campaign by manufacturers and wholesalers.

These interests point out that the increased railroad rates coupled with the tax prohibits the keeping of salesmen on the road, thus contributing to business stagnation.

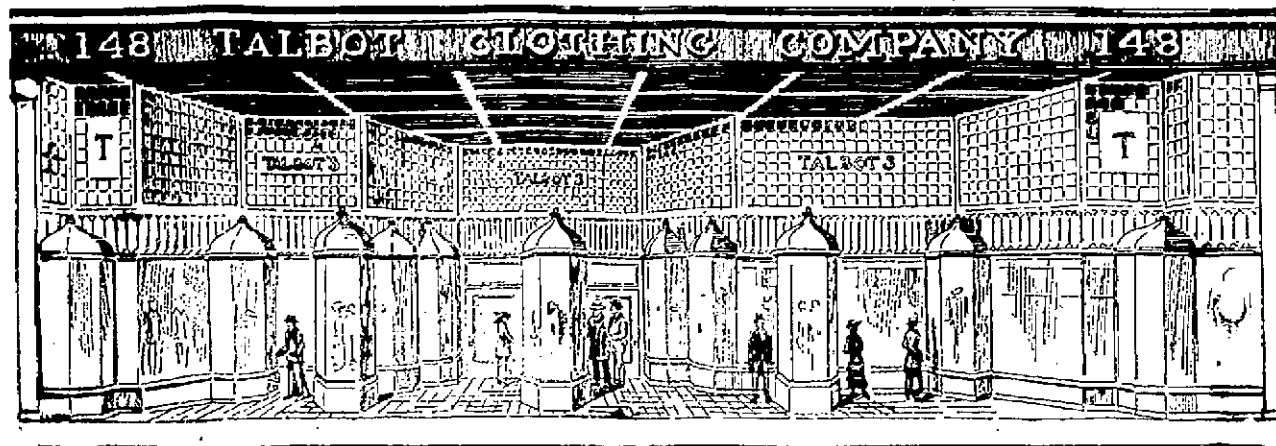
Removal of the tax would increase railroad traffic, and with their revenues increased, they might be able to reduce fares, it is argued.



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Mavis Toilet Water; \$1.25 value. Special **89c**

Smallwares

Snap; regular value 10c each. Special..... **2 for 14c**
West Electric Curlers; 25c value. Special, each..... **20c**
Dean Tape Measure; 15c value..... **10c**
Queen Darners; 25c value. Special **19c**
Rick Rack Braid; 15c pkg. **10c**
Stickerie Braid; 15c pkg. **10c**

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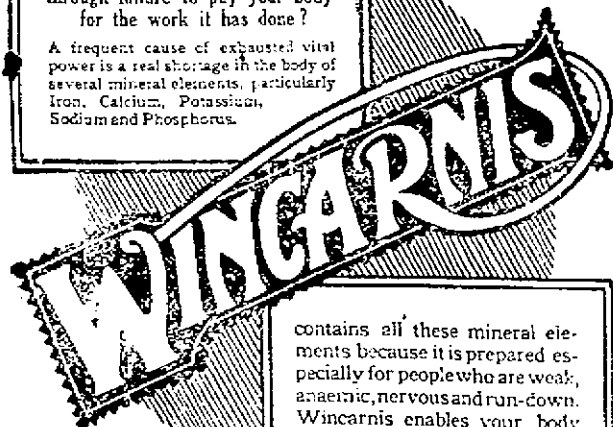
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ANTI-BOLSHEVIK TROOPS LAUNCH OFFENSIVE

TOKIO, Mar. 31—(By the Associated Press)—Anti-Bolshevik troops formerly commanded by General Kappel, armed with four machine guns, opened an engagement with the Russian militia in Vladivostok, early today, says a dispatch from that city to the Nichi Nichi Shimbun.

Fighting was said to be in progress along Main street near the railroad station and the city was in confusion. The Japanese garrison in Vladivostok has announced its neutrality. It is said.

TWO OFFICERS KILLED IN SINN FEIN ATTACK

DUBLIN, April 1.—Search of the Ross Carbery police barracks, which were destroyed during an attack by Sinn Feiners, was impossible early today, owing to explosions in the debris. But two officers, Sergeant Shea and Constable Bortas, were killed. They were buried under the walls of the building when the front of the structure was blown down with gelignite.

The barracks were defended by the head constable, two sergeants and 19 constables, and all have been accounted for. Head Constable Neary and eight privates were wounded.

ORDERS PROBE OF "L" CHARGES

BOSTON, April 1.—Senators Lyman W. Griswold of Greenfield, and Walter A. Hardy of Pittsburg, and Representatives Henry L. Shattuck of Boston, James B. Brown of Everett, and John W. McCormack of Boston make up the special legislative committee which will investigate the allegations of misconduct by members of the legislature of 1918 in connection with the passage of the Boston Elevated public control bill and also by members of the legislature of 1919 in connection with the passage of the bill authorizing the state to buy the Cambridge subway.

When the order for the appointment of the committee, having passed the senate, came up in the house yesterday afternoon, Representative Lonsness of Boston moved an amendment which would bring the conduct of the legislature of 1919 also within the scope of the investigation, and the amendment was adopted in both branches.

Exercises at Keith's

charge of the program. The exercises opened with a march by the high school orchestra, directed by Fred O. Blunt, director of music in the public schools. This was followed by several chorus numbers by the Boys' Glee club and three selections by the Mandolin club.

James Geary, '22, gave an excellent reading of a selection from Booth Tarkington's "Seventeen," and he was followed by a trombone solo with orchestral accompaniment.

A feature of the occasion was the 201 number, the recitation of "America" for Mr. and Mrs. Rose Brennan, '22, with an accompaniment by a double quartet, singing "Home Again."

Mayor Perry D. Thompson was then introduced by Mr. Harris as one of the "loyal graduates" of the high school. The mayor spoke in a humorous vein in opening and then continued in part as follows:

"This is our city's birthday anniversary—its 53th—and indeed it is just fitting that we should stop for a moment or two and honor as we may this splendid institution we reverently call home, with just a thought for its glorious past, its present and its future."

"Whittier, when he once visited

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"Yes, it was nearly a century ago that men from other lands came to this spot, dammed the river at Pawtucket falls, dug the canals and thus harnessed the waters of the Merrimack and commenced the fabrication of the first great industrial city in America and called it Lowell. Men from every nation of the globe were attracted to

this garden spot of industry and workmen of many hues, languages, customs and ideals. Thus this melting pot of humanity was founded and thousands of hands moulded the city which is yours and mine today. Men understood not one another's words and much less one another's purposes, desires and ways. Problems arose even more difficult of solution—financial, social and governmental problems. The way to greatness led around a cliff that bordered chaos.

"Yet out of it all a fair flower of civic and industrial worth reared its head, to be nurtured and sustained by kind, loving and busy hands. It is yours today, young men and young

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Several new models to choose in Taffeta for Misses' and satin for larger women; also Tricoline in sizes for both.

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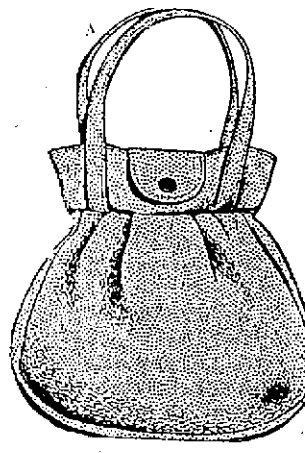
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Women's fibre silk lace hose, semi-fitted with double heel, sole and toe, black and cordovan; regular \$1.15 value **79c**

Women's pure thread silk hose, semi-finished with reinforced heel and toe, ribbed garter top, black cordovan and new grey; regular \$2.00 value **\$1.25**

Women's silk lisle hose with seamed back and reinforced heel, sole and toe, in black and colors **69c**

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Boys' two-piece suits in dark woolen mixtures, all new styles and fabrics. Pants are lined and cut full, and the tailoring is excellent. Sizes 8 to 17 years. Special,

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"If I may avail myself of a speaker's privilege and ramble just a little I wish to speak to you somewhat briefly on a thought I like to call 'The Dangers and Demands of Education.'"

"After God had created man out of the earth and had endowed him with divine power, it was discovered that while the noblest of creation, yet he was physically the weakest of all. Others were endowed with tooth and claw, with flight of wing, or swiftness of foot, or with a shell to cover them, or of gigantic strength.

"Prometheus with the halo of Minerva ascended into the heavens, stole the sacred fire of Job and brought it to earth and gave it to man."

"Fire at once was the greatest weapon and greatest friend of man. It cooked his food, warmed his body, enabled him to leave the tropics and travel to the colder regions of the north; it transformed metal into implements of usefulness, not only the plow to till the soil and an axe to level the forest, but also a spear with which to defend himself against the beasts of the field.

"Fire, this gift of God, of which every beast of the earth and bird of the air is afraid, made men masters of creation. Fire has ever proven itself a weapon of God for while it cooks man's food it also consumes his body. It warms his dwelling place in winter, but in its fury levels it to the ground. It casts metal into implements of labor and places deadly implements of war into the hands of men. It turns the wheels of industry, but it claims its toll of human life.

"Fire has enabled man to be not only master of all living creatures but to

be master of innate forces of nature, both visible and invisible. He has wrapped the earth with steel rails, ploughed a path through the trackless oceans and strung his wires of communication from pole to pole. He dove into the ocean and out-swam the fish and rose into the air and outwinged the birds.

"The story of man is to a large extent the story of the mastery of this gift of God, and man still is afraid of it. He knows not when it may break its bounds and sweep the earth.

"Of necessity man had to ascend once more into the heavens and bring forth another gift of God, knowledge. But, he has found that this also is a dangerous weapon, ever dangerous in human hands. While that wisdom makes men capable of solving great financial problems, it has had a tendency to make some men masters and others slaves; while it has enabled him to go far toward the solution of the social problem, it also has had a tendency to promote a caste system, with ultimate division into classes. While it will solve our governmental problems, it also has fallen into the hands of a few bent on preventing justice and a vicious man at heart endowed with knowledge and the fruits of education, simply becomes more vicious and menacing to society. The sordid and greedy multiplied by wisdom become grave dangers to civilization.

"These things are problems more plainly seen in this day in which we are now living and seem to accentuate in seriousness with the passing years. Education, the priceless gift of God to man, which has led the world thus far in civilization, seems at times to threaten to sweep us back into savagery.

"We must once more ascend into the

heavens to bring to earth that which will strengthen the spirit of man, not simply his arm of physical strength, or to lengthen the vision of his mind, but to promote that which must be master of both, namely, spiritual excellence.

"The welding of man into one family depends not only upon man's physical or intellectual powers, but also upon the determination of his will, his sense of justice and his personal obedience to the unwritten laws of human fellowship.

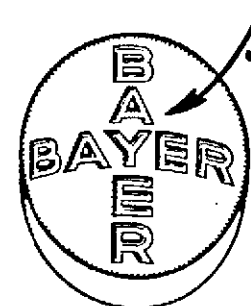
"These are problems which remain for you, young men and young women, of the coming generation to solve.

"As we leave here today let us carry

with us that bit of Goldsmith's poem, 'The Traveller,' which runs, if memory fails me not:

"Where'er I roam,
My heart, untravelling,
Fondly turns to thee." (Lowell.)

Before the exercises closed Headmaster Harris spoke briefly on the safety first campaign which is to be conducted. In all the schools next week and William Thompson, chairman of the ring and pin committee of the senior class, explained to the members of the graduating class the arrangements for securing rings and pins this year. The program closed with an exit march by the school orchestra.



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THE STREET PLAYGROUNDS

A movement originated in this city last summer that came to have a nation-wide reputation as the "Lowell plan for street playgrounds" it was widely commented upon and approved. Although it did not get well underway until the middle of the summer, the scheme was taken up and copied in a number of other cities.

As will be remembered, two streets were closed to vehicular traffic during the late hours of the afternoon and those of early evening. Large numbers of children left the other streets with their dangers, and flocked out of tenements and unattractive back yards to gain health and enjoyment from play under the direction of supervisors who were partly paid and partly volunteers.

The movement last year originated with the chamber of commerce, and was largely, if not wholly, financed by it. The volunteer helpers were supplied by the Middlesex Women's club and the League of Catholic Women.

It will be a pity if the street playgrounds are not again provided for this year. Considering the obstacles that had to be overcome before the plan could be started last summer, it would seem to be none too early for the consideration of plans for these playgrounds to be again taken up for serious consideration.

RUTHLESS MANSLAUGHTER

Some ten days ago Larry McLean and a chum named McCarthy, two well known Boston characters, while under the influence of drink ran foul of a bartender who drew a revolver and shot both men, McLean dying almost instantly and McCarthy a week or so later. The bartender who killed these men will claim that he fired in self-defense on the ground that they were drunk and had threatened to assault him. If they were drunk, it was he or somebody like him who sold them the drink in violation of the law and put them into a fighting mood. But even if they did threaten him, he had no right to shoot them as he did. His plea of self-defense cannot justify his action under the circumstances reported in the press; but there will be slight consideration for the victims because they were drunk, and yet drunkenness is a minor offense, compared to the act of the man who sold the stuff that produced the drunkenness. Apparently every store in Boston is now armed for hold-up men and some of the employees are not fit to be trusted with the use of arms. The case here referred to is apparently one of them.

ETHER TO SAVE FOOD

It is hard to believe that any parent would be guilty of giving children ether dropped on sugar as food and to keep them quiet as saved food on some school children in Westfield.

Perhaps ether has been used as a substitute for paracetamol, which is said to have a soothing effect, although nothing more or less than an opiate. This must have been the resort of poor parents who did not know the evil effects of the drug on the children.

There should be some restriction upon the sale of ether, which at present can be purchased in quantity even by children.

There is reason to believe that ether is one of the sleep-producing ingredients used in some of the various substitutes for whiskey how sold so freely in every New England city. It was probably from its use in moonshine that the people of Westfield became aware of the deadening effect of ether upon the stomach and brain, and hence its use for hungry children. It is high time to put an end to every abuse of this kind and to deal with the use of ether on children as a criminal offense.

WHOS' BOLSHIEVIST NOW?

But a short time ago Premier Lloyd George made a bitter attack upon the British Independent Labor party of England, denouncing it as an aggregation of socialists and communists. At that very time he was concluding a commercial agreement with the Bolshevik leaders of Russia under which this redoubtable statesman was to shake hands with Messrs. Trotsky and Lenin and to recognize them as business men of the stamp with which the premier thought it was all right for the British nation to do business.

Since then the Independent Labor party of England has repudiated the Bolshevik regime and refused to form any working agreement or alliance with Trotsky and Lenin or the representatives of the Third Internationale, with which these dictators are in full accord. The Labor men are not as ready to disregard honor and principle, and even truth itself, as is Premier Lloyd George.

THEFTS OF LIQUOR

So great has been the theft of liquor from bonded warehouses in different parts of the country, that a bill has been recently before congress providing an appropriation of from \$100,000 to \$200,000 to be used in moving it all to Washington. The bill was dropped because of the expense, and now the plunder of the warehouses will go on until all the liquor is left shall have disappeared. It is understood that when the government officials are enforcing the law, the large seizures, much, if not all, of the stuff is stolen from the places of storage to which it is removed. There is a suspicion that government officials are in many cases the real culprits. The instances in which they are said to be implicated upon by forced orders for the removal of liquor from warehouses are so numerous as to be laughable. The whole thing seems to indicate either complicity or collusion, if not gross stupidity, on the part of the government officials.

PENROSE TO THE FORE

Senator Penrose is resuming his role as boss of the republican party, tariff dictator and tax reformer. Despite the fundamental principle of our government, which comes down from early times, the representatives of the people are not often allowed to originate the financial policies of our government.

Penrose is already dictating the financial policies of congress even as did Mark Hanna and Senator Platt in the days of McKinley. Doubtless there would be little criticism on this score if such reactionaries as Penrose kept in the background. He represents the old trust element of the republican party and if his counsels are followed, the country will drift back to the old monopolistic combines and the old disregard of popular rights and interests.

JUDGE LINDSEY'S COURSE

Judge Ben Lindsey elects to take a fall sentence if it comes rather than reveal in a murder trial, the story told him in confidence by a small boy. That will add to the popularity of this noted advocate of the juvenile court and of special treatment for wayward children. His fatherly advice and kind treatment of juvenile offenders brought before him have had a greater influence for good in causing them to abandon their evil ways than all the laws on the statute book and greater even than all the appeals of parents and other relatives.

Judge Lindsey has long been recognized as a special friend and guide of wayward children. This episode will increase his influence for good among that particular class of delinquents.

COWARDLY POLICEMEN

Out in Chicago the other day, five police detectives deserted a comrade who was shot down by a gunman. The police of Lowell have been criticized on various occasions, particularly for laxity in the enforcement of some particular law, but to their credit be it said, so far as known, not one of them has ever turned his back upon a crook or a gunman. The bravery shown by Officer Clark and others in the recent capture of a gunman who had just murdered a Middlesex street merchant, is an example of bravery that might well be brought to the attention of the cowardly gang in Chicago.

MOONSHINE "SLEEP"

In Chicago a man whose body was found under a sidewalk, is said to have been a victim of "moonshine" whiskey. We need not go so far away as to Chicago to find victims of "moonshine" or some substitute for whiskey which causes the victims to sink into a lethal slumber that knows no waking. Anybody who drinks substitutes for whiskey now being sold by bootleggers need not be surprised if after so doing they fall asleep in death. It is surprising what a large number of people have dropped out of sight because of drinking the poisonous hooch.

That Will Reed Dunroy, a well known poet and press agent, should have become a victim of wood alcohol poisoning, is lamentable. He sought a drink to cure a cold, and a supposed friend supplied the fatal draught. He is but one of the thousands throughout the country who die in the same way from drinking hooch.

"It is rather a complicated piece of business to undertake to give the people of this state information in regard to their business and the actions of their representatives," says Lieutenant Governor Fuller. But, do most of the representatives consider that they represent anyone but themselves once they are elected?

A young Russian, appearing on the stage in Boston, said that he wishes to become more familiar with the English language so that he can appear in Shakespeare's tragedies. It is pleasing to learn that the Bard of Avon has one friend left among the thespians.

"It would be a great thing for the ultimate consumer if it were possible to tax sales without taxing purchases," says the Boston Globe. Yes, and a greater one if Uncle Sam would practice the sort of economy that the tax system forces upon the ultimate consumer.

President Harding's new appointment to the position of federal district attorney in Boston announces that he proposes to promptly "reorganize the administration" of the office. Which, being interpreted, means out go the democrats and in go the G. O. P's.

If there is not a statute against profanity in public places, one is sorely needed to curb some of the language heard on the stage, and also the foul-kicker might get busy with some of the people who are amused by it.

We might expect the legislative investigation into the doings of Mr. Fuller's "band of 40 thieves" to be more profitable if results were shown that all of the investigators were from that connection with the band.

Charles, having been kicked off the Hungarian throne, shows almost the persistence of a book agent in trying to crank back again via the coast hotel and the cellar.

A Boston newspaper wants the ghostly abolished. But, what would become of Harvard's commencement day parade without its "ghost of Suffolk and sheriff of Middlesex" in line?

The founder of the Washington club has been in Lowell, but he neglected to tell the members of the organization graduate into the Know-Nothing association.

"March Cold Wave Passes Out to Sea," says a headline, and we hope it gets seasick before it has been there long.

The circus has applied for a license to stop in Lowell, and anticipation once more makes life worth living for the small boy and his pa.

SEEN AND HEARD

April showers bring May flowers— if a cold nip doesn't intervene.

These are hard times for the working girl, observes Cartoons Magazine. It is all she can do to make the top of her sock meet the hem of her skirt.

Price of baseball bats mounts. Ringling, Barnum & Bailey circus will have no more parades. Going to be a tough year on us boys!

At least one doctor in this city has such a large practice that when a patient has nothing the matter with him, doc tells him so.

City that had 100,000 population 4000 years ago is dug up at San Juan de Tothhuaca, Mexico. Wonder if Lowell will be under the sands 4000 years hence?

Nothing is wasted, says the Boston Post. The expressions we learned while filling out the income tax blank can be used on the fireplace.

Something like this, says the Detroit News, was bound to happen. A resident of Flint, Michigan, named Cork, was pulled for having liquor in his possession.

Average American drank 44 gallons of milk last year, twice as much as a few generations ago. The farther we get from the cow, the more milk we want.

Automobile habit will shorten men's legs and make his head bigger in time, says Levi S. Gardner, Detroit scientist. You have noticed that earlier head tendency by owners of expensive cars.

A Toast

What the rose to the garden is,
What the dew is to the springtime is,
What the stars to day's close,
What the hush to twilight is,
What the yeast to home brew,
What the crank to the flapper is,
Is the rouge, girls, to you.

—Tampa (Fla.) Times.

A Rule For Happiness

Carrying yesterday's grouch over into today is to start the day with a serious handicap. Each day has its own burdens without picking up any from the past. A grouch, old or new, is an intolerable burden whenever or wherever we find it. Especially is this true in the home. Husbands and wives who allow yesterday's differences to bring morning gloom make a mistake that is sure to bring grief. A middle-aged couple have made happiness their chief business in life. Speaking of the differences that creep into homes so easily the husband says: "We make it a rule to begin each day with a clean slate. Every morning before I go to work, we always smooth out any difficulties that may have come up during the night before. If we have not already done so, when we kiss each other goodnight, we square up to date. And you won't find a happier home than ours." A simple formula for happiness, yet most effective.

Kisses and Dessert

The Man About Town told a story yesterday, about a bachelor who spends his spare moments in the very delightful pastime of gathering information on the subject of "kissing." It's the day's best bet that this particular bachelor's favorite flower is the tulip. In relating his story to The Man About Town, however, the poor deluded bachelor said he first became interested to know why people kiss anyway. From the time of his interview the reader would be pardoned in drawing the inference that the bachelor was an un-kissed rube. He had never been able to find out, he said, why we touch lips. Can you beat it? This fellow must be an heirloom of the dark ages. He seems ignorant of the fact that kisses are like bon-bons steeped in the nectar of the gods. Yes, indeed, kisses are wonderful when served with proper accompaniments, but they must not be used as a substitute for something more substantial. Kisses, served to a hungry man a la cold soup, garnished with onions in vinegar and flanked by cold burnt muffins, are like dynamite with a short fuse already lighted, as witness the experience of a Denver bride of less than a year, who tried the experiment on her long-suffering mate once too often. He came home one night very hungry. He sat down at the table and made a mush of cold soup and burnt muffins and an added bit of onion for seasoning—stiff his resentment. He inquired about the "kisses for dessert my dear," repeated the sweet thing. Whereupon the explosion occurred. When the police arrived, they found a badly battered couple under the debris of china and furniture. Knees was unable to understand why husband did not appreciate her kisses. Harry declared that ten more cold soup was more than his just desert. Moral: To be sweet without cloying, kisses must be the expression of a love that includes service. But keep on kissing—we like it—and we have nothing but pity for the poor man who unraveled his tale of "kissing woo" to The Man About Town.

If Only

Could we but understand;
We should not grieve each other so
With looks that break the heart with woe.

The looks that crush, the looks that brand;
Our eyes would still be kind and bland.
Could we but understand.

Could we but comprehend,
We should not hurt each other thus,
With cruel words and sarcasms.

We should not say the things we say;
We still should speak as friends with friend.
Could we but comprehend.

Could we but realize,
The burdens those who love us bear
Because we, too, fall short; the care
Borne in them through our frailties.

What warmth would thrill hands,
Lips, and eyes,
Could we but realize.

—ALFRED ARNOLD.

MAN ABOUT TOWN

One of the members of the school committee, Mr. Donnelly, tells me that his vote favoring the election of two additional assistants to Major Walter B. Jeyes, supervisor of physical instruction in the elementary schools, as recorded at Tuesday evening's meeting of the school committee, may be interpreted as being the result of swayed judgment. Such is not the case, Mr. Donnelly says, as the need for assistance in this work was presented to him informally some time ago and he has had the matter under consideration for several weeks. Three members of the school committee voted to take no action at Tuesday's meeting as they felt they should give the request more consideration. Mr. Donnelly makes it plain that he didn't vote in favor of Major Jeyes' assistants on the spur of the moment, but only after giving the matter due consideration. Chairman Delancy also voted in favor of the election of two assistants and I presume he also had knowledge of the need of them prior to Major Jeyes' formal request Tuesday evening.

JAILED GIRLS LOVE POWDER PUFF MOST

A powder puff is the "piece de resistance" in the wardrobe of almost every girl or woman found in a jail. At least one piece of silk underwear, a pair of hole-filled silk stockings are the other important articles of her outfit.

Never is there a sensible thing to be found in the line of wearing apparel.

This is the declaration of Mrs. Minnie Barton, one of the leading uplift workers of the west, and is based on many years' experience in reclaiming girls and women.

Mrs. Barton is founder of a wom-



Mrs. Minnie Barton

an's training home in Los Angeles, Cal. Police judges have such faith in her methods of winning back the wayward girl that they release to her, without bail, inmates of the women's department of the Los Angeles jail.

"An abnormal desire for so-called pretty things figures in the mental attitude of nearly all of them," declares Mrs. Barton. "To reconstruct these women it is essential first to remodel their viewpoint of life."

There is no such thing as a lock and key at the Barton home and yet the number of women to attempt an escape is amazingly small.

STRONGBOX EQUIPPED WITH ALARM

BERLIN, April 1.—German burglars face a new obstacle in a strong box which a Berlin inventor has just placed on the market. The portable steel box is equipped with an alarm which can be set before the lid is closed.

When the box is lifted or moved ever so slightly, the alarm sounds and can be silenced only by unlocking the box and justifying the mechanism which controls the buzzer.

Hotel guests are buying the strong-box and placing it against their doors at night, or setting it on luggage which they wish to protect. The boxes are produced in various sizes and with alarms varying in strength from an ordinary buzzer to a fire alarm siren.

SPRING FOOTBALL PRACTICE

ITHACA, N. Y., April 1.—With a hundred men in togs, spring football practice at Cornell university is now well under way on the Ithaca campus. Coach Doble, who is in charge, is the second spring football practice held since Doble came to Ithaca, and in numbers of candidates, interest and enthusiasm it promises to set a record.

Aside from Captain Wilson E. Dodge and one or two other varsity men, most of the candidates are new to varsity football, the freshman team and squad of last year contributing generously to the squad and the balance being made up of varsity candidates of a year ago who did not find places on the first eleven.

Football players engaged in other sports were not asked to report. Coach Doble emphasizing in his call for men that only those not needed in the other branches, crew, track, baseball, lacrosse, etc. were wanted.

The practice which will last five or six weeks will include all of the usual training in football fundamentals and perhaps some scrimmaging.

HE DRAWS THE LINE

President to Receive Visitors Three Days a Week

(Special to The Sun.)

WASHINGTON, March 31.—It took just three weeks to convince President Harding that he can't keep open house for job-hunters and friends and at the same time study serious problems of the nation.

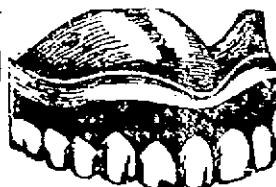
Harding started out by trying to see everyone who called. Three weeks later to the day, he announced he will receive visitors only on three days each week, and then only by appointment.

"There must be some time for work," he said, waving his hand toward a desk stacked high with papers.

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To Help Needy in Ireland

Continued

Fred H. Bourke, who is supervisor of the drive for the northern half of Middlesex county. The major has had wide experience in campaigns of this nature as he handled numerous war drives in this state.

He told of the destruction of Irish industries and of the thousands of Irish people thrown out of work in Belfast and Cork. He also described the work of the American commission on Irish relief and discounted propaganda reports that the organization had disbanded.

The major suggested that a committee be appointed to handle the drive in Lowell and James O'Sullivan was chosen chairman. Mrs. Helen Beatty, secretary, and Stephen Flynn, treasurer.

It is planned to hold a series of concerts and entertainments in aid of the fund and to open the drive formally with a big mass meeting in Associates hall some evening next week. A prominent speaker will address the gathering.

Supervisor Bourke and Treasurer Flynn spoke briefly at last evening's meeting, saying that the money already collected in Lowell for Irish relief would be turned over to the committee now in charge and that each person who has contributed would be given due credit. They asked all who had contributed to do so again and to stimulate city-wide interest in the drive.

The committee in charge of the campaign will meet again Monday evening in Elks' hall.

Thrift Coal Club

Our coal club will start Friday, April 1st. We expect to make it a greater success than ever. This year it will be a boon to many people to be able to pay for their coal supply in weekly payments. It is an easy way to get the coal bill all paid up, during the Spring and Summer months.

Save a little each week and deposit it at our office and we will give you a little booklet showing the payments. The more you pay in at the beginning the more you save on your coal, and you are sure of a supply when you need it.

Whatever is the price each month that will be the price to members of our club based on the amount paid in so that the average will probably be lower than the price of coal in the fall.

It's a good thrift plan. Try it, and we think you will be pleased. Come in and talk it over. Our new coal prices for Lowell will be announced soon and we think we will do a little better than the surrounding cities, considering the freight costs to the different points.

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ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

by Olive Roberts Barton

Next morning Nancey and Nick and Mr. Flippety-Flap hid down out of their mango tree and hunted up the lion family.

"Good morning," said the fairyman. "Have you breakfasted? And how is Lumpy's toothache?"

"Good morning," grumbled Mr. Leo. "Yes, we've breakfasted on tough old cheese and I am glad to say that Lumpy's tooth is better, but if we keep on eating tough meat, none of us will have a tooth left. Don't happen to have a good tender omelet-steam along with you, do you, eh, Mr. Fairyman?"

Flippety-Flap scratched his ear, threw his nose, and then rubbed his chin. "I'm trying to think," said he, "but I forget."

"Why don't you look?" suggested Nancey.

"Of course," said Flippety-Flap. "That's the sensible thing to do. Mr. Lion, do you know this is the smartest young lady this side of the states, either side either. And her brother—really he's so smart he can tell you anything, how many crows in a corn field in January, or how many foxes Mr. Rabbit invited to his dinner-party, or anything like that."

All the while Flippety-Flap was rummaging in his enormous shoes. You've no idea how many things he could carry to them. It was worse than a schoolboy's pocket! There were stovetops, overcoats, a new spring hat for somebody, a dust-mat, a bunch of flowers, a doll, a lady-bunch, a picture, an onion, a bottle of glue, a fishing rod, and what not. That was just a beginning.

By and by Mr. Lion began to sniff. "You're coming to it," he roared delightedly. "I smell it, but I can hardly believe my own nose."

It was true. Flippety-Flap laid out a fine large steak, and some other things—a seesaw, a ladder, and a huge ball. It was Mrs. Lion's turn to roar with delight.

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BOOTLEG SLEUTHS TROUBLE RAILROAD

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"The situation is this:

The Spokane International railroad connects with the Canadian Pacific in British Columbia. British Columbia is one of the places where the "roof leaks," that is, where wet goods trickles through into the Pacific northwest. Government agents, sheriffs and town "constables" have found that many of the booze runners use the passenger trains. And these officers of the law have gotten into the habit of ordering trains stopped at various stations while they go through it to search the luggage of passengers. Often the train is searched at almost every tank town

that boasts of a constable and a suspicious character.

As a result trains come limping in hours late.

The railroad officials tolerated it for a time, but have announced that the dry enforcement gentlemen will have to find some new method of operating.

STARTS UP GRADE

Apple Says Railroad Business Has Touched Bottom

By ALBERT APPLE
Railroad freight traffic, which reflects general business conditions, has touched bottom and will not fall off further, says Thomas DeWitt Cuyler,

chairman of the Association of Railway Executives. Freight movement has improved decidedly in the last two weeks, he says. New York Central's office forces have gone on full time. Number of cars loaded with freight in week ended March 12, latest reported, was 70,068. This was a seventh less than a year ago, but larger than same week in 1919.

Patient Gets Hungry
Very important is the wave of bullishness creeping over country. Bradstreet's reports "less pessimism." Some authorities, noted for their gloom, "would not be surprised to see a sudden pickup." This spirit is bound to have good effect. May be something back of it.

Retail trade, nationally, is best in months. Good weather helped. Big sale: France and Germany enter

the dead American copper market. They buy 10,000,000 pounds at 12½ cents a pound. Back of this is slow but steady improvement of world banking situation, bound to help our export trade.

Detroit reports 33,000 more employed than on January 1. Gradual improvement continues throughout automobile industry, with Studebaker running 75 per cent. nearest capacity. Revived auto sales are stimulating rubber industry.

Steel, the Barometer

Structural steel buying is now the heaviest in months. Means building activity. Steel industry as whole is at 28 per cent. capacity. United States steel corporation last week operated 43 per cent. Trade belief is that Judge Gary wants to make good showing until end of present quarter, then will cut prices early in April. May be false alarm, but steel stagnation is largely due to high prices. United States Steel's new orders averaging enough to keep it going on one-third time. Pig iron has fallen to \$23 a ton basic. Pre-war was \$10.25, highest in wartime was \$42.

Weather Vane

Bank clearings in week ended March 25 were 23 per cent. less than year ago, country over. Chicago and San Francisco made the best showing. New Orleans and Kansas City the worst. Chicago clearings cause cheer, that district having been hardest hit. Depression is worst in ocean shipping. About 1700 ships idle. Wheat exports last week 4,664,566 bushels, against 10,110,262 bushels same week 1915. Corn exports 2,553,915 bushels, against 1,285,711 bushels same week 1915. May wheat during last week touched lowest price since 1915.

PRES. HARDING GETS FIRST MONTH'S PAY

WASHINGTON, April 1.—President Harding yesterday received his first monthly pay cheque. It was for \$5220.54. Ordinarily the monthly cheque sent to the president by the treasury department is made out for \$6250, but Mr. Harding was "docked" for the three and a half days that Woodrow Wilson served as president this month.

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IN THE POLICE COURT

Men Fined for Larceny Said
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Complainant

Joseph Thibault and Samuel Bourne were each fined \$15 in the police court this morning, on charges of stealing from Alphonse Robillard \$50 in cash, a watch valued at \$40, a chain valued at \$5, and a locket valued at \$5. The testimony was to the effect that Robillard and the defendants were comrades in a drinking party, in the course of which Robillard lost consciousness and was relieved of his possessions. These were returned, however, after a complaint was made. The defendants claimed to have Robillard's welfare in view when they took charge of his valuables. On a previous occasion, they said, he had requested them to care for his things. A delay of four weeks was granted to enable them to pay their fines.

The case of George N. Parker, charged with drunkenness, was continued to April 6 at the request of counsel.

The case of Michele Roberto came up on a continuance, and was again postponed to April 9 in order to allow counsel for the defendant to explain some circumstances of the matter to the court. Mrs. Roberto said that her husband had been paying her \$100 per month in accordance with the stipulation of the court. Armand J. Ritchotte, an ex-soldier, charged with non-sup-

port, was declared defaulted today when he failed to appear in answer to non-support charges preferred at a previous hearing by his wife. Two weeks ago he was granted a continuance to see whether he would make provision for his wife and child. Today he failed to appear. His wife was absent, because of illness. There was one drunkenness release by Deputy Downey.

Juvenile Court

In the juvenile court this morning Walter Lescard got probation from the Shirley industrial school, on conditions of restitution in the matter of two larceny counts. Ayeis Maderros, 19, one of the innumerable didn't-know-it-was-loaded boys, had his case continued again to April 29. He is charged with unlawfully carrying a pistol in connection with the shooting of Peter Alcazaro, taken to the hospital with a bullet in his side after he had passed the spot where Maderros was tinkering with a 22-calibre pistol. One neglected child was consigned to the care of the board of public welfare. Ambrose and Armand Millette, brothers, charged with larceny of cigars, cigarettes and similar articles from a store, had their cases placed on file.

"Confession" Letter Barred

Continued

\$10,000 a month and \$75,000 counsel fees. The decision set forth that Mrs. Stillman had pleaded recriminations in her answer to the banker's complaint and that both husband and wife made charges "founded upon an allegation of adultery."

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Cordova Peas, 2 cans.27c
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Pink Salmon, can.13c
Pocono Flour, 24 1/2 lb. bag\$1.45

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CORN
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Paternity of Child
Guy Stillman, the infant whose legitimacy was attacked by Mr. Stillman and who was named co-defendant with his mother, "will bear a stain that cannot be erased and for which he is not responsible," if the husband is successful in his suit, said the decision.

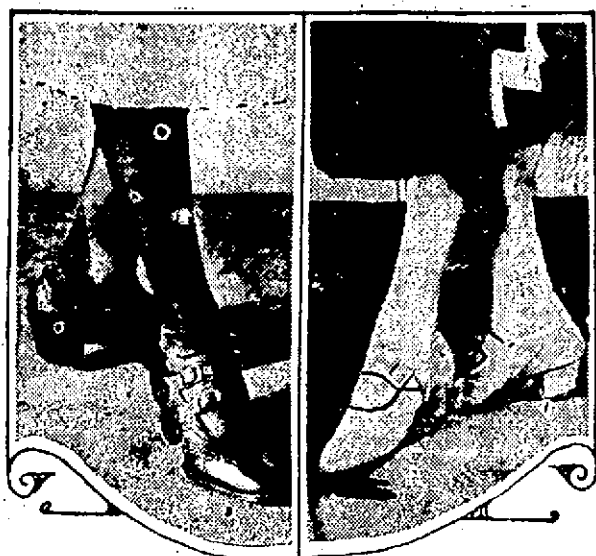
"The plaintiff seeks to do that which he believes is his duty to himself and his children," it continued. "The plaintiff having challenged the paternity of the child, the defendant comes to its protection and to the defense of its legitimacy. That is her duty and she is right in her claim to vigorously champion the child's cause and this is expected from any mother."

"The interests of the defendant and of the infant in this case are to a great extent the same."

"The three Stillman children, other than the infant whose paternity is attacked, are of sufficient age to determine with whom they desire to reside during the pendency of the action," Justice Morschauser said. "Their preferences should be presented. While the children are with the mother or in her charge, she must provide for their schooling and other necessary expenses. I believe to meet these expenses the alimony should be allowed in the sum of \$750 a month."

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Widow of Underworld King as "Unknown Star" Makes Good



CHICAGO, March 31.—A small insert pasted into the program of "Irene" at the Studebaker theatre last night, told the audience who took the trouble to read it that "Duke Winter" appears in the role of Irene O'Dare, replacing Helen Shipman.

Thus was the widow of "Big Jim" Colosimo, the murdered king of the Chicago underworld, ushered into unobtrusive stardom. The press agent, usually taking advantage of every possible straw to insure publicity for his show, breathed no word of the change in the cast.

Few in the audience recognized her. And so her triumph, which was complete, was not due to her circumstance that she was the heroine of the tragedy of revenge which made "Big Jim" Colosimo the victim of an unsolved murder in the rooms above his famous cabaret in the Chicago tenderloin.

Miss Winter was in the cast only two nights, owing to a throat infection which confined Miss Shipman to her room. After her triumphal tryout in the leading role, she went to Cincinnati where she opened a two-weeks' engagement in the same role.

It has, meantime, been spread abroad that Big Jim's widow scored "on her own" here, and when she returns to Chicago the spending crowd of cabaret frequenters plan to give her a demonstrative welcome.

Miss Winter sang for several years in the restaurant operated by the dead leader of the underworld. He had employed her when she was on the verge of starvation, encouraged her vocal ambitions, engaged a teacher for her from the Chicago Grand Opera company, and finally married her.

Miss Winter was born in Columbus, O., and was graduated from high school there.

DRY LAW ENFORCEMENT

Kramer Tells of Difficulties in Enforcing National Prohibition

WASHINGTON, April 1.—Difficulties in enforcing national prohibition include hostile public sentiment, lack of co-operation by the states, bootlegging on the borders and issuance of too many dealers' permits, according to John F. Kramer, federal prohibition commissioner.

What he termed as his "honest views" on prohibition were given by Mr. Kramer in a letter to Senator Cameron of Kansas and made public yesterday by the latter. Commenting on charges that liquor was being sold openly by 333 New York saloons, Mr. Kramer detailed the problems of the "dry" forces and also suggested remedies.

"In view of all these conditions and circumstances," said Mr. Kramer, "I believe we have made remarkable progress during the year or more in which the national prohibition act has been in existence. We still have much work to do, and will have for years to come. You can't turn the current of history overnight. Anything that has fastened itself upon political, economic and personal history of our country as has the liquor traffic cannot be removed in a day or a year."

Mr. Kramer said that the Volstead law itself was sound, that he was not advocating any radical revision of the law by congress, and that enforcement problems largely were administrative. Too many permits for medicinal preparations containing alcohol were issued originally, Mr. Kramer said. These have been reduced and standards of medicating alcoholic preparations raised. Permits for manufacturing industrial alcohol also are being curtailed and refused to those selling illegitimately.

Failure of the Law

Summing up, Mr. Kramer said he believed failure of enforcement during the past year were "due to the administration of the law more than they were to the law itself."

"In this respect," he said, "I am willing to assume my share of responsibility for these errors. In the beginning we issued entirely too many permits. Secondly, we made a mistake in placing the standard of medicinal preparations on too low a basis. We have had trouble also in selecting a force of agents who were at all times loyal. This does not apply to many, but to some."

Among recommendations made by the prohibition director to tighten up enforcement were: Removal of whiskey to a few large and well guarded warehouses; Increase of prohibition agents on the Canadian and Mexican borders and enactment of prohibition codes by all the states.

"There are some uncertainties in the law (the Volstead act), but it has had hardly a thorough enough trial," Mr. Kramer wrote. "To warrant congress in making any radical changes at this time. Further, a number of questions now are in the courts and have not been passed upon by the supreme court."

Explains N. Y. Situation

To the specific charges that 333 saloons in New York are violating the law, Mr. Kramer wrote: "There are places in New York city where liquor is sold more or less openly, but in none as it was sold prior to prohibition."

The bulk of the people, Mr. Kramer



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In "Memories of the Dance"

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"Black Beauty," known and loved for forty years in every part of the world where books are read, has come to life, and will soon be seen in high-class theaters all over the country.

The wonderful horse whose autobiography was recorded by Anna Sewell, to delight many millions of readers in every civilized country on the globe, is to be seen in action. His life, through all its changing phases of playful colthood, early pleasures, trials and fears, its contact with the lives of other horses, and of human beings, its hardships, dangers and triumphs—all these are unfolded on the motion-picture screen.

The screen version of "Black Beauty" is all that the book was—and more. Every bit of the story has been told, and additional thrills have been interpolated. "Black Beauty" is a story of human beings, as well as of horses.

In the film version a thrilling and romantic drama has been woven about the human beings, and in many phases of this "Black Beauty" participates without being aware of its nature, and of the big part he is playing. The race scene, in which "Black Beauty" saves the day, provides one of the greatest screen thrills ever filmed.

Jean Paige, in the leading role of "Jessie Gordon," is a sweet, appealing heroine, and her portrayal will long be remembered in this unusual Vitagraph production.

What The New York Newspaper Critics Said About "Black Beauty"

"It is a far better product than the book itself, and it is probable that Anna Sewell would say as much. Must be considered as one of the fine pieces of motion picture work of the season. A picture play deserving of large patronage and long life."—New York Morning World.

"Charm and good taste—the production and direction team with them. 'Black Beauty' is the sort of wholesome entertainment that builds sturdy tissue in the interesting picture industry."—New York American.

"Right after two weeks' run of 'The Kid' the Strand Theatre presents this week 'Black Beauty'—another of the best pictures of the season. The picture is so refreshing in its atmosphere, so kind in its message and so clean in its purpose that it cannot fail to captivate the hearts of motion picture patrons."—New York Morning Telegraph.

"The presence of the various stable characters makes this picture one of the alluring novelties of the season. A very attractive production which, in the immortal words of any clothing advertisement, is 'fitted to customers of all ages.'"—New York Herald.

"It's a job to be proud of, I think, having made 'Black Beauty' into a picture which will please infant and adult, a job which so easily might have been badly done, but is not. At the Strand there were hosts of unattractively little boys marshalled in to see it. They thought it was 'great stuff.'"—New York Daily News.

"A picture that will attract thousands of animal lovers to the Strand this week. The film version of this tale follows the book closely."—New York Journal of Commerce.

"So skillfully has Vitagraph told this story on the screen that to many it will seem even better than the book itself."—New York Evening Telegram.

"As a picture it is indeed a novelty for which the producers deserve more than the usual credit."—New York Globe.

"On the silver sheet 'Black Beauty' is in many respects a remarkable picture. There are thrills aplenty likewise, the race for the train in the final scene being one of the best filmings of its kind the motion picture world has produced, with a succession of sensational riding feats. Jean Paige has an appealing beauty. She screens and plays extremely well. Her supporting cast is of the best."—New York Evening Mail.

"One of the unique offerings of the season is 'Black Beauty,' which atones for many a vampire-laden blight of the past. It's a relief to meet with actors who aren't always trying to register. Jean Paige leads the human battalion and does it as one to the manner and the saddle born."—New York Evening Sun.

"'Black Beauty' scores. There is an excellent race to climax the story."—New York Journal.

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The story of a man who whipped himself. A strong man's fight for love. Big supporting cast.

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SPECIAL SATURDAY MORNING CHILDREN'S MATINEE 10:30 A. M.

Entire Theatre Thrown Open to "Young America" 11 CENTS—TAX PAID

Don't Miss Seeing Wes. Barry in "THE COUNTY FAIR"

EVA NOVAK in "THE TORRENT"—COMEDY—WEEKLY

Florida. This, he said, was a problem for more men.

Every Saturday afternoon at the American post in Samoa, the civil prisoners are granted parole until six a. m. Monday. Many of the prisoners spend their week-end visiting relatives.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

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AT DRUGGISTS

"SAFE ROADS WEEK"

Better Roads Campaign to Open Next Week

Mayor Perry D. Thompson today issued an appeal to the people of Lowell to take part in the observance of "Safe Roads Week" next week as one of the 40 cities in the commonwealth which have agreed to stage a campaign during that period. His statement in full was as follows:

"As one of forty cities of the state that have united with the Safe Roads federation of Massachusetts in observing the week of April 3 as 'Safe Roads Week,' Lowell stands in the front rank.

"As has already been announced by the state registrar of motor vehicles, Lowell led all cities of the commonwealth in the matter of motor vehicle safety during the winter months with no fatalities and only 27 persons injured during the months of December and January.

"Lowell people want the city to continue to show the way in the state in the matter of safe and sane automobile operation, and to this end have joined with other cities in their co-operative campaign in an effort to cut down the toll of highway accidents that were recorded in April of last year.

"Governor Cox, in making an appeal for an even wider observance, declared that the movement merits the attention of the entire state, since hardly a community was unrepresented in the toll of 490 killed and 21,152 injured by motor vehicles during 1920.

"Our city has stood at the top of the list for safe driving during the last three months. Let us keep up the good work during April and make the last week free from all highway accidents. This calls for the co-operation of drivers of motor cars, adult pedestrians and children.

"Keep the children out of the street."

FUNDS FOR RECTORY

A campaign for the raising of funds for the erection of a rectory for the new French-Catholic church in Pawtucketville, was started last evening when the Pawtucketville Social club, at its regular meeting, voted the sum of \$100 for the movement. Very Rev. E. J. Turcotte, O.M.I., head of the vice province of the Oblate order in this part of the country, and pastor of St. Joseph's parish, was present at the meeting and he complimented the members of the club for their action.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, take this means of expressing our sincere thanks to all our neighbors, friends and relatives for their kindness and floral and spiritual bouquets during our recent bereavement in the death of our dear husband and father. Their kindness will be remembered by Mrs. A. Quinn and family.

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FUNERAL NOTICES

CLEMENT—Died in this city, March 30, suddenly, at his home, 22 Columbus avenue, Charles M. Clement. Funeral services will be held at Saunders' funeral home, 217 Appleton street, on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Friends are respectfully invited.

CHASE—Died March 30, in this city, Mrs. Sarah H. Chase, aged 89 years, 11 months and 23 days, at her home, 76 Bartlett street. Funeral services will be held at 75 Bartlett street Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Please omit flowers. Burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

HOWARTH—Died April 1st, in this city, Thomas Howarth, aged 82 years, 1 month and 10 days, at his home, 14 Rutland street. Funeral services will be held at 14 Rutland street, Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice. Burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

OHANLON—Died in this city, March 31, of his late home, 559 Lawrence st. John Ohanlon. Funeral will take place Saturday morning from his late home, at 8 o'clock. At the Sacred Heart church at 9 o'clock a funeral high mass will be celebrated. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Motor cortege. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertakers O'Donnell & Fay.

SMITH—The funeral of Mrs. Anna E. Smith will take place Saturday morning from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Joseph L. Cronin, 445 High street, at 8:15 o'clock. High mass of requiem will be sung at the immediate Conception church at 9 o'clock. Interment will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements under the direction of Undertaker Peter H. Savage.

McCALLUM—The funeral of George W. McCallum will take place Saturday morning at 8 o'clock from his home, 34 Elm St. North Billerica. A solemn high funeral mass will be sung at St. Andrew's church, North Billerica, at 9 o'clock. The burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

LOWE—The funeral of Patrick L. Lowe will take place Saturday morning at 8 o'clock from his home, 2010 Middlesex st. North Philadelphia. A funeral high mass will be sung at St. John's church, North Philadelphia, at nine o'clock. The burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

PRINCE—Died April 1, Connelley, 36 years, 1 month and 16 days, at his home, 14 Rutland street. He is survived by four sons, Emanuel of Pawtucket, R. L. John H. of Norwich, Conn., J. Albert and Arthur J. Howarth, both of this city and one daughter, Mrs. Jerome E. Bourle, also of this city. Mr. Howarth was a member of Post 185, G.A.R.

McGARTHY—The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth McCarthy will take place Monday morning at 8:15 o'clock from the home of her son, Frederick, 72 Stanley street. High mass of requiem at St. Michael's church at 9 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

War Prices Are Gone On Clothing

Still You Wouldn't Think So Judging From the Prices Quoted at Some Stores

The war is over! Of course that's not news for you, but for fear that some might be led to believe, judging from the war-time prices quoted in some of the stores that the world conflict is still in progress, we take the liberty and risk of again announcing the ceasing of hostilities.

The Merrimack Clothing company, Lowell's most dependable headquarters for men's, women's and boys' merchandise was the very first concern in New England to realize the necessity of a downward revision in prices for clothing and that store still holds the lead. If you want to be convinced look in the goods on display, and compare the prices, as well as the quality and fit, with any other store in town. Men's suits from \$25 and up, women's suits from \$15 and up, and boys' suits from \$5 and up. And in this array may be found the products of the very biggest and best manufacturers in the world, the kind that carry full guarantee with every purchase.

Remember the war is over! Don't pay war prices, especially for clothing. Go to the Merrimack Clothing Co. and get 1921 products at reasonable figures and benefit by the guarantee that goes with every article sold. See our window display.—Adv.

DEATHS

McCALLUM—John McCallum, of 18 Apple street, this city, died yesterday in Worcester, aged 29 years. He leaves his wife, Georgianna McCallum. The body was brought today to the rooms of Undertaker George W. Healey, 236 Westford street.

BERRY—Michael Berry, aged 44 years and 7 months, died yesterday at the state infirmary, Tewksbury. He is survived by a sister, Mrs. Mary Walsh of Newbury, N. J. The body was taken to the charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

JACQUES—Arthur Jacques, son of Alphonse and Stephanie (Lesage) Jacques, died yesterday afternoon at the home of his parents, Ford street, aged 4 months and 14 days.

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FITZGERALD—Mrs. Mary Fitzgerald died today at her home, 192 Gorham st. She was 80 years old.

McARTHUR—Mrs. Elizabeth McCarthy, a well known resident of Cambridge, a widow and constant attendant at St. Michael's church, died last night at the home of her son, 72 Stanley street, after a long illness. She is survived by one son, Frederick, 5 grandchildren, and several nephews and nieces.

Gates to the White House grounds were opened under the first order issued by Warren G. Harding as president of the United States. They have been closed to the public since early in 1917 when the United States severed relations with Germany.

APRIL FOOL!

DID YOU GET STUNG?

Kiddoes on the Job Bright and Early

Today is All Fools' day, and the jokers—practical and otherwise—have been abroad in the land in Lowell.

The small boy and his sister were early on the job of "fooling" people in many homes. If most of the jokes lacked originality they were nevertheless enjoyed with zest.

"Where'd yer get the black smooch on your nose?" asked the alert youngster of his pa, at the breakfast table, and as he bustled for the looking glass to wipe the offending spot away there was the usual hilarious shout of "April fool!" Sister told ma she had a hole in her apron, and then gleefully laughed as she exhibited signs of consternation.

Out on the streets the kids were up to all sorts of tricks. To place a piece of string across a sidewalk and then wait for some dignified citizen to come along and unexpectedly catch it under the nose while his hat went flying in the air, was a popular pastime.

The sign "Kick me" was attached to the back of more than one coat, and the wearers then wondered why people turned their heads to look at them and smiled broadly as they passed down the street.

The usual bunch of youngsters hidden behind a fence snickered audibly as persons who had forgotten the date attempted to kick innocent-appearing packages containing bricks from their way on the sidewalks.

The citizen, who had his dreams of good fortune rudely dispelled, as he stooped over to pick up a lost pocket-book that was quickly whisked out of sight by a string with a boy on the end, was in evidence.

Near one of the mills was a large packing box, with the open top covered with wire netting. It bore the sign "Please Do Not Annoy the Animals." Many persons stopped to catch a glimpse of the "imals." They were greeted with a loud guffaw from a hidden audience. Most of those who were "fooled" in this way joined the group of onlookers to see others get caught in the trap. The animals were a couple of brinks.

"Want the time of your life?" asked one autoist of another as they stood talking on Merrimack street. "Yer," was the answer. "Take a ride over First street."

In the middle of the forenoon a hatless individual rushed around the cor-

ner of Central street into Merrimack square. "Where's the nearest fire alarm box?" he inquired breathlessly. Small crowd gathered more intent on finding out where the blaze was located than in pointing out the box. "Where is—where is it?" they demanded. "Over in the Massachusetts mills, in the boiler room," was the answer.

In the early morning someone attached a large sheet of paper to one of the cars running through Middlesex street. On it was scribbled, "One-man

car—also room for a small child." The yarn was spread in the highlands that the squirrels had eaten up a vacant house in Tyler park. Some believed it until reminded of the day. The policemen and firemen played their usual jokes on each other.

APRIL FOOL—By Berton Braley

When the Spring comes in with its leaf and bud
A sort of enchantment stirs my blood
And my heart beats faster, my step is lighter
My eyes grow bright as the sun gets brighter,
I want to dance and I want to sing
With the glorious foolishness of Spring.
I'm glad as a youngster free from school—
A regular April Fool!

Oh, an April Fool has a gorgeous time,
He greets the world with a grin sublime
For the Spring has come and the Winter's gone
And the baseball season is coming on,
And golf and tennis and fishing, too;

And winds are gentle and skies are blue,
And these are magical charms which rule
The heart of an April Fool!

If you're not one of the folks who thrill
When Spring comes dancing o'er vale and hill,
If April breezes don't fill your brain
With quirks and whimsies you can't explain;
If you're calm, collected and placid, too,
Not one bit foolish—the more fool you!
For it proves you're old and your blood is cool
When you can't break loose from your humdrum rule,
And though our folly you ridicule
It's you, it's you are the April Fool—
The silly old April Fool!

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FUNERALS

COLEMAN—The funeral of Patrick Coleman took place this morning at 9:30 o'clock from his home, 54 Fremont st. and was largely attended, including many relatives and friends from out-of-town. The cortege proceeded to St. Michael's church where at 10 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. James F. Lynch, assisted by Rev. Thomas J. Haggerty and Rev. John J. Shaw as sub-deacon. The choir, under the direction of Mr. Thos. P. Boulger, rendered the Gregorian chant, the notes of the mass being sustained by Mr. Boulger and Miss Griffin. Mrs. Ella Kelly Toye presiding at the organ. The bearers were Messrs. Joseph and John Cotter of Boston, William Crowley, John Parker, Robert Haffey and Thomas Monahan. There was a procession of spiritual and floral offerings. The burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Fr. Lynch. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

BROWN—The funeral services of Edward I. Brown were held yesterday afternoon at his home, 25 Crescent street, under the direction of Rev. C. E. Fisher, pastor of the First Baptist church, officiated. There was appropriate singing by Mrs. Lawrence Jordan. The flowers were numerous. The bearers were Charles W. Johnson, Carl A. Bishop, Edwin P. Dickson, Carl Lundgren, John W. Reed and Elmer Goodwin. Burial took place in the family lot in Hildreth cemetery, where the committal service was read by Rev. Mr. West. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

PARRELL—The body of John W. Parrell, who last Monday was found dead at 27 Merrimack street, was yesterday afternoon sent to Grange, N. J. Burial will take place in the Holy Sepulchre cemetery at Newark, N. J. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers O'Donnell & Fay.

SINBURY—The funeral services of William H. Sinbury took place yesterday afternoon at his home in Tewksbury. Rev. George F. Sturtevant officiated. The bearers were George Foster, Dr. H. H. Sumner, Alden Haines and George Hunt. Burial was in the Tewksbury Centre cemetery, in charge of Undertaker Hiram C. Brown.

CARRICO—Mrs. Kate E. Carrico, formerly Mrs. Daniel H. Gordon of Lowell, died in Brooklyn, N. Y., March 23, aged 78 years. Burial was in the family lot in the Edison cemetery yesterday. The local arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Hiram C. Brown.

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GEORGE GREENBERG, Auctioneer, 425 Hildreth Bldg.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

SATURDAY, APRIL 2, 1921, AT 2:30 P. M.

By order of the Mortgagee, I shall sell at Public Auction to the highest bidder, on Saturday, April 2, 1921, at 2:30 p. m., real estate of the condition of the weather, the property located at Nos. 19 and 12 Tyler Street. The property consists of a double two-tenement house, well constructed and in excellent repair. Each tenement has ten rooms, bath, hot and cold water, steam heat and all latest improvements. The rooms are light and airy and are all in fine condition. The tenements are now let and make a large profit to the tenants. The location of the property is ideal, being situated near Central Street and only two minutes from the Postoffice. The yearly rental is \$346.00, which could easily be increased. Here is an opportunity for any one with a little money to make a good profit investment. Terms: \$460.00 to be secured with auctioneer when sold. Other terms at sale.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

To be sold at public auction to the highest bidders. All the merchandise and fixtures in the store formerly occupied by the Bon Ton Confectionery Co., corner of Merrimack and Cabot streets, Lowell. Merchandise consists of canned and bottled goods, soaps, candles, penicils in bags, handsome marble soda fountain and back, carbonator, electric mixers, natural ash refrigerator, silent salesman show case, display case, cigar case, tables and chairs, candy scales, Worlitzer electric piano, desk, clock, stove, candy kettle, part barrel Coca-Cola, part barrel of Corona, paper bags and ice cream boxes, lot of extracts, etc. The sale of this property will take place on Saturday, April 2, 1921, at 10 o'clock a. m. Terms cash.

BERNARD F. GATELY, Trustee.

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Mr. and Mrs. Maurice A. Green of 21 Davenport terrace, are rejoicing over the birth of a baby boy.

If you are anxious to improve your golf game, visit the sporting goods department of Dickerman & McQuane, Central, corner of Market.

Miss Helen A. Osgood is to give a recital of her original monologues and poems in Colonial hall, Thursday evening, April 4. Shortly after her recital she will give a similar one in Stenect hall, Boston.

Senators will use the famous "marble room" adjoining the senate chamber as a lounging place. The chamber is to be barred to visitors.

INTEREST BEGINS NEXT SATURDAY, APRIL 2nd

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